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KING OF GREECE IS ASSASSINATED

King George Shot by Demented Fellow Countryman While Walking in Streets of Saloniki—Tragedy Causes Consternation in Europe—Assassin Says He is Against Governments—Perfect Order Maintained.

Saloniki, March 18.—King George of Greece, was assassinated while walking in the streets of Saloniki this afternoon. The assassin was a Greek of low mental type, who gave his name as Aleko Schinas. He shot the king through the heart.

The king was accompanied only by an aide de camp, Lieutenant Colonel Francoudis. The assassin came suddenly at the king and fired one shot from a seven-chamber revolver. The tragedy caused intense excitement. Schinas was seized immediately and overpowered.

The wounded king was lifted into a carriage and taken to the Papafion Hospital. He was still breathing when placed in the carriage.

Prince Nicholas, the king's third son, and other officers hurried to the hospital.

Arriving first, Prince Nicholas summoned the officers, and speaking in a voice choked with sobs, said:

"It is my deep grief to have to announce to you the death of our beloved king and invite you to swear fidelity to your new sovereign, King Constantine."

Crown Prince Constantine, who succeeds King George, is at present at Janina. He is expected to come here with all possible speed.

The assassin of the king is an evil-looking fellow about 40 years of age. On being arrested he refused to explain his motive for the crime. He declared his name was Aleko Schinas and in reply to an officer who asked him whether he had no pity for his country, announced that he was against governments.

Schinas maintained a perfectly impassable demeanor which was suggestive of his being irresponsible for his actions.

Notwithstanding the rapidity with which the king received attention, he was dead on arrival at the hospital.

Precautions at once were taken throughout the city and perfect order is being maintained.

Consternation in London

London, March 18.—The official world at London and the general public were startled this evening by a terse message from Saloniki announcing the assassination of the King of Greece.

Troubles in the Balkans have been waning of late, but the news of this wholly unexpected tragedy caused an instant and immense sensation. It was not generally known that the King of Greece was still at Saloniki, as nothing had been heard of his movements for several days. Interest regarding details of the assassination was intense, but as the hours passed and no further news reached London it became evident that a rigid censorship was being maintained by the army administration.

The strained relations between the Greek and Bulgarian contingents at Saloniki gave grounds for fears that the assassination of King George might have been incident to a clash between the allies, but a message received at midnight dispelled such apprehensions by identifying the assassin as a Greek degenerate. Another dispatch referred to him as demented.

The British foreign offices, Marlborough House, where the Queen Mother Alexandra, sister of the dead king, is residing, and the Gerek legation were besieged by reporters, but no one at these places had information except the newspaper bulletins until nearly 10 o'clock.

The King and Queen of England are stopping at Windsor Castle and the first official confirmation of the tragedy came to the foreign office in a dispatch from Prince Nicholas at Saloniki, and was transmitted to Windsor and to Marlborough House and then given to the public. This dispatch announced that the King had been shot and had died in half an hour. Another telegram reporting similarly was received from the Greek minister at Saloniki.

Earlier in the evening the press message had been communicated to the King and the Queen Mother as a rumor.

The greatest sympathy is felt for Queen Alexandra. King George of Greece, was her favorite brother. She only recently suffered another, although less tragic blow, in the death of her brother, King Frederick of Denmark.

The Princess Victoria broke the news to her and, because of the uncertainty, she was able to hope that the report was not true. But it was soon confirmed by an official dispatch. Queen Alexandra is said to be prostrated and King George and Queen Mary will come from Windsor tomorrow to give her what consolation they can.

Even if the King of Greece's close relationship with British royal family did not exist, the circumstances of his death would debar the court for a time from social functions. It is expected that court mourning will be announced for three months and that all official engagements except the most necessary ones will be cancelled.

The London social season, which begins after Easter, therefore, will suffer an eclipse and several branches of retail business will lose heavily thereby.

It is expected that the body of the murdered king will be taken to Athens aboard a warship for burial. He went to Saloniki immediately after the occupation of that city and remained there in the capacity of commander-in-chief of the army.

King George of Greece was a frequent visitor to London, his last visit being on the occasion of King Edward's funeral, when he met Col. Theodore Roosevelt and became exceedingly friendly with the ex-President, with whom he was impressed as one of the democratic characters among the European sovereigns assembled here. He remained as a guest at Buckingham Palace for several days and with his brother, King Frederick, of Denmark, walked about the streets entirely unattended and unrecognized. Several times they joined the crowds which gathered in front of the palace to cheer the new English king, their identity wholly unsuspected by the working men with whom they rubbed elbows.

During a former visit to the city the London corporation entertained him at the Guild Hall and presented him with an address of welcome. Of all the crowned heads of Europe, King George of Greece and his Danish brother, King Frederick, who was overtaken by a fatal illness while strolling in the streets of Hamburg alone, were among the most unostentatious. He had many friends among the diplomats of the various nations and some of his warmest friendships were with untitled persons.

King George had a particular fondness for a good dinner and a game of cards and was known to all the foremost restauranteurs in the continental capitals and watering places. He was popularly credited with being rather easy going in the matter of hard work.

At a meeting of Moslems and Turkish sympathizers here tonight the announcement of the assassination was greeted with cries of "Shame!" although there were some cheers. The audience rose as a token of respect for the king's memory.

The Earl of Selbourne, presiding at a meeting of the Royal Colonial Institute, announced the death of the King and said that all would wish to express their deep sympathy to the Queen Mother Alexandra in her bitter loss.

The Greek legation had received no official word of the death of the King up to a late hour tonight, but two members of the peace delegation remaining in London and many other Greeks called to express their sympathy. The Lord Mayor of London sent a message to the Greek minister, saying: "The citizens of London sympathize with the Greek royal family and the Greek nation in their bereavement and express their horror at the crime."

The Lord Mayor also telegraphed condolence to the King and the Queen Mother Alexandra while the Lord Mayor of Windsor called at the castle to offer condolences.

Queen Olga Leaves

Athens, March 18.—Queen Olga, who arrived at Athens this evening, will embark at midnight on a Russian cruiser for Saloniki.

Greek Legation Gets Dispatch

Washington, March 18.—A dispatch was received at the Greek legation here tonight from the Minister for Foreign Affairs for Greece, announcing the assassination of King George. The dispatch stated that the king was assassinated while taking his usual walk in Saloniki.

Sorrow in Denmark

Copenhagen, March 18.—The deepest sorrow is felt here over the death of King George, of Greece, who was popular throughout Denmark. For the past 50 years he had been accustomed to spend a six or eight weeks' holiday in Copenhagen, living like an ordinary citizen and taking interest in everything that concerned the life of his native country.

When extra editions of the newspapers spread the news of the assassination all the theatres and music halls closed their performances and the people left silently.

The royal family learned of the assassination through a press dispatch. They were deeply moved.

Most of King George's property, to the value of possibly $20,000,000, is in Denmark. He was an excellent business man and made a fortune dealing in real estate. He had a palace and several houses in Copenhagen which he bought cheaply and which afterwards greatly increased in value. He also had many houses in Paris. His money and securities were all kept in banks in Paris, Vienna and London.

The Danish court will assume mourning for a long period.

Prince Valdemar and some of the younger princes and perhaps King Christian will attend the funeral.

GEN. ANDRE PASSES.

Former French Minister of War Dies at Dijon.

Dijon, France, March 18.—Gen. Louis Joseph Nicolas Andre, former Minister of War, died today.

Gen. Andre was born in 1838. He was Minister of War for several years prior to 1904.

WILL CO-OPERATE WITH THE HOUSE

Senate Committee Agrees to Rush Tariff Bills Without Amendment.

HARMONY ON THE PROGRAMME

In Order to Carry Out Policy Senate Will Have to Accept Much Greater Reductions Than Approved Last Year.

Washington, March 18.—Democratic members of the new Senate Finance Committee today agreed upon a plan of tariff action that will have important bearing upon the downward revision plans of President Wilson and House leaders.

In a conference participated in by all Democratic members except Senators Stone and James, a policy of close co-operation with the House was outlined, through which it is hoped that the House bills can be pushed through the Senate with little amendment and without committee hearings.

Senate leaders stated tonight there is general harmony among the Senate Democrats upon the tariff programme. In order to carry out the policy of co-operation it is understood that the Senate probably will have to accept much greater reductions than that body approved at the last session. Members of the Finance Committee today expressed the belief, however, that this would cause the House to exercise caution against making extreme cuts.

Conferences with Chairman Underwood of the House Ways and Means Committee will be asked for shortly and the Democratic membership of the Senate will be canvassed thoroughly before the extra session convenes.

The plan will be to take all questions into caucus and it is believed that the caucus will support the committee. The present Democratic strength in the Senate is 50 to 44 Republicans and Progressives and it is counted that when in case of the filling of the two Illinois vacancies by the election of Republicans and the possible defection of some Democrats on certain schedules, there still would be enough votes to put through any bill agreed on by the caucus with the controlling vote held by the Democratic Vice President.

Chairman Simmons, of the Finance Committee, made no formal statement of his position, but expressed a willingness to fall in with the House plans of revision. He was appointed chairman of a sub-committee to confer with the Democratic members of the Ways and Means Committee of the House, who are rapidly completing the tariff bills. The Finance Committee practically decided to have no Senate tariff hearings. Republican Senators have notified the Democrats that they will insist on debating the tariff bills fully, but the extent of the Republican opposition to the revision bills has not been developed.

THE DANIELS HOME

Where Secretary of Navy Will Live—Carolinians in Washington

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., March 18.—The Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Daniels will live at "Single Oak," in Woodley Lane, the most exclusive and fashionable residential district of Washington. The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniels adjoins that of Senator Newlands, of Nevada, and is only a short distance from the residence occupied by Grover Cleveland as a Summer home while he was President. Mr. and Mrs. Daniels left for Raleigh tonight. The secretary will return to Washington the latter part of the week.

Charles Ross, of Lillington, is here in the interest of his father, R. R. Ross, of Randolph county, who is a candidate for United States marshal, for the western district of North Carolina. J. W. Nelson, a candidate for the postmastership at Marshall, is also here.

Senators Simmons and Overman today began moving into their new quarters in the Capitol building. Both North Carolina Senators will have some of the handsomest office rooms in the building. P. R. A.

FIGHTING ALL THE TIME.

Sylvia Pankhurst Writes Mother of Prison Experience.

London, March 18.—The militant suffragettes union today made public a letter received by Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst from her daughter Sylvia, now in Holloway prison. It says:

"Dearest Mother: I am fighting! Fighting! Fighting! I have four, five or six attendants every day as well as two doctors. I am told through the stomach tube twice a day. They pry open my mouth with a steel gag, pressing it in where there is a gap in my teeth. I resist all the time. My gums are always bleeding.

"I am afraid they may be saying that we do not resist, yet my shoulders are bruised by the struggling while they hold the tube in my throat. I used to feel I should go mad at first. I think they feared I was pretty near it, but I have got over that and my digestion is the thing most likely to suffer now.

"SYLVIA."

'BOSS' GEO. B. COX OF OHIO INDICTED

Officers of Trust Company Charged With Violating Banking Laws

ILLEGAL LOANS ARE ALLEGED

Second Indictment Charges the Abstraction of a Large Note With Intent to Defraud the Cincinnati Trust Co.

Cincinnati, March 18.—George B. Cox, former political leader and one time president of the Cincinnati Trust Company, together with 10 other officers and directors of the company, were charged with having violated the State banking laws in indictments returned today by the Hamilton county grand jury. The others indicted were:

Nathaniel S. Keith, secretary of the company; Fletcher R. Williams, treasurer; J. M. Crawford, director, once consul general at St. Petersburg; Charles H. Davis, director, former president of the Second National Bank; David G. Edwards, director, broker; Dr. James F. Heady, director; James M. Hutton, director, broker; O. V. Parrish, Hamilton, Ohio, director; Norman G. Kenan, director, former president of the Union Gas & Electric Company; I. N. Miller, director, superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company here.

Two indictments were returned.

One of nine counts charged Cox, Davis, Kenan, Heady, Hutton, Miller, Keith and Williams with misappropriation of $115,000 of the trust company's money through alleged illegal loans to the Ford & Johnson Chair Company of Indianapolis. Cox was also a director of the chair company.

The second indictment, in two counts, charged Cox, Crawford, Davis, Edwards, Heady, Hutton, Keith, Williams and Parrish with the abstraction of a note for $352,500 with the intent to defraud the trust company.

All of the defendants gave bonds for $5,000 on each indictment. August Herrman, president of the Cincinnati National League club, signed the bonds for Cox's release.

Attorney General Timothy Hogan said an effort would be made to get trials at the next term of court.

The affairs of the trust company have been subject to investigation most of the time since its absorption by the Provident Savings Bank & Trust Company in December, 1911.

The note for $352,500 was listed in the assets of the bank in November, 1911, at the instance of the State banking department. It was to cover alleged excessive loans made to the Ford & Johnson Company. Later the note was withdrawn, the indictment charges, without payment being made by the bank.

The indictments charging misapplication also were based on transactions with the Ford & Johnson Company, and charges that loans of $115,000 were made to the chair company when that concern owed more than $500,000 to the trust company. By the terms of the State law, the trust company, which was incorporated for $500,000, was forbidden to loan more than $100,000 to any individual firm or corporation.

The maximum penalty is a fine of $10,000 or 30 years' imprisonment or both.

OUTLINES

President Wilson has declined to request that the American bankers participate in the large loan to the Chinese government.

Geo. B. Cox, of Cincinnati, former "boss" of the city, and 10 other officers of the Cincinnati Trust Co., were indicted yesterday for violation of the State banking laws.

Congress will take up a budget system as soon as the special session disposes of tariff revision. A carefully considered and well planned budget is favored by President Wilson.

Although physically somewhat indisposed, President Wilson worked under an unusual strain yesterday, receiving a large number of callers and holding a lengthy session with his cabinet.

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King George of Greece was assassinated yesterday while taking his usual walk in the streets of Saloniki, the assassin being a demented fellow countryman who gave his name as Aleko Schinas and declared he was against governments.

New York markets: Money on call steady, 3 3-4 to 4 per cent.; ruling rate 4 3-4; closing bid 4; offered at 4 1-4. Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 12.60. Flour steady. Wheat firm; No. 2 red 1.03 1-2 and 1.11. Corn firm, 56. Turpentine and rosin easy.

A BUDGET SYSTEM TO BE CONSIDERED

Will Be Taken Up By Congress After Tariff Revision is Finished.

FAVORED BY THE PRESIDENT

Wilson's Ideas Outlined in Letter to Senator Tillman—Division Exists Over Method of Appointing Budget Committee.

Washington, March 18.—A general fight to cut down Federal expenditures and bring them within the estimated revenues of the government is to be made in the special session of Congress as soon as the tariff bills have been disposed of by the House.

President Wilson's letter to Senator Tillman, made public today, in which he declared himself in favor of a "carefully considered and wisely planned budget," lent new strength to the plan, now well under way in Congress, to bring the country's enormous expenditures under some central control.

While President Wilson's budget ideas have not been outlined to Congress, it is not expected that the budget system advocated by Presiden Taft and prepared by the economy commission will be urged as the basis for the Democratic appropriation system. This scheme has many bitter opponents, including the leaders of the great committees which now handle appropriations, and it is expected that efforts in Congress will be directed along different lines.

The economy commission appointed by House Democrats in their caucus March 5th, will not meet until the House has disposed of tariff bills in the extra session. Efforts will then be made to devise a plan for handling the estimates and the appropriations that come before the regular session in December.

A sharp division exists between Chairman Fitzgerald, of the Appropriations Committee, who favors giving all appropriation bills to that committee with authority to act as a general budget committee, and Representative Shirley, of Kentucky, who has proposed a special budget committee of the House to comprise the chairman and leading members of a number of important committees. The Congressional advocates of various budget plans intend to confer fully with President Wilson before attempting to agree on any system of general control over expenditures.

In his letter to Senator Tillman, President Wilson wrote as follows:

"Ever since I was a youngster I have been deeply interested in our method of financial legislation. One of the objects I shall have most in mind when I get to Washington will be conferences with my legislative colleagues there, with a view to bringing some budget system into existence. This business of building up the expenses of the nation, piece by piece, will certainly lead us to error and perhaps embarrassment."

J. S. ASHLEY ARRESTED.

President of Alabama Convict Board Charged With Embezzlement.

Montgomery, Ala., March 18.—James G. Oakley, president of the State convict board, was arrested today charged with the embezzlement of funds aggregating nearly $100,000. Following the arrest of Oakley, Governor O'Neil announced that he had removed Oakley from office and had taken charge of the convict department for the State.

The warrant for Oakley was sworn out by H. Y. Brooke, examiner of public accounts, who charged Oakley with the embezzlement of funds of the State amounting to more than $96,000. Oakley is also charged with depositing $17,000 in the Montgomery Savings Bank without sufficient security. He was released under bond of $20,000.

Oakley's arrest was the result of a public investigation of the shortage of Theodore Lacy, chief clerk of the convict department.

Testimony at this investigation tended to show that Oakley knew of Lacy's desire to obtain more than $100,000 on checks signed by Oakley and that Oakley instructed the banks to cash these checks. It was also brought out that Oakley told the bankers to turn over real cash to the missing chief clerk.

Lacy has been missing since last Wednesday, when he drew out $90,000 from Montgomery banks and disappeared.

VESSEL FOR NAVAL RESERVES.

Elfrieda Will be Replaced by a Smaller Vessel.

Washington, March 18.—The converted yacht Elfrida, used by the naval militia of North Carolina for war practice, is to be supplemented by a smaller vessel, one suitable to the waters of the coast of that State. The Elfrida, it is said, has proved of too great draft for the shallow sounds of the North Carolina coast. Commander Shipp and Lieut. Norton called upon Secretary Daniels today to arrange for repairs to the Elfrida, which recently was blown ashore in a storm in Albemarle sound and secured a promise of a smaller vessel.

WILL NOT REQUEST A LOAN TO CHINA

Wilson Declines to Ask American Bankers to Participate in it

CONDITIONS NOT APPROVED

The President Declares the Only Door He Cares to Enter is the Door of Friendship and Mutual Advantage.

Washington, March 18.—President Wilson tonight in a statement approved by his cabinet after two hours of discussion, announced that his administration had declined to request the group of American bankers to continue their negotiations for participation in the $125,000,000 loan desired by the Chinese government.

In his statement the President explained that at the request of the last administration a certain group of American bankers undertook to participate in the loan desired by the government of China (approximately $125,000,000) and that our government wished American bankers to participate because it desired that the good will of the United States toward China should be exhibited in this practical way.

"The present administration has been asked by this group of bankers whether it would also request them to participate in the loan," continued the President's statement. "The representatives of the bankers through whom the administration was approached declared that they would continue to seek their share of the loan under the proposed agreements only if expressly requested to do so by the government. The administration has declined to make such request because it did not approve the conditions of the loan or the implications of responsibility on its part, which it was plainly told would be involved in the request.

"The conditions of the loan seem to us to touch very nearly the administrative independence of China itself, and this administration does not feel that it ought even by implication, to be a party to those conditions. The responsibility on its part which would be implied in requesting the bankers to undertake the loan might conceivably go the length in some unhappy contingency of forcible interference in the financial and even the political affairs of that great Oriental State just now awakening to a consciousness of its power and of its obligations to its people. The conditions include not only the pledging of particular taxes, some of them antiquated and burdensome, to secure the loan, but also the administration of those taxes by foreign agents. The responsibility on the part of our government implied in the encouragement of a loan thus secured and administered is plain enough and is obnoxious to the principles upon which the government of our people rests."

President Wilson said in the statement that the American people are in profound sympathy with the awakening of China and that they certainly wish to participate in opening to the Chinese and to the use of the world, the almost untouched and perhaps unrivalled resources of China.

"The government of the United States," the statement continues, "is earnestly desirous of promoting the most extended and intimate trade relations between this country and the Chinese republic. The present administration will urge and support the legislative measures necessary to give American merchants, manufacturers, contractors and engineers, the banking and other financial facilities which they now lack and without which they are at a serious disadvantage as compared with their industrial and commercial rivals. This is its duty. This is the main material interests of its citizens in the development of China.

"Our interests are those of the open door—a door of friendship and mutual advantage. This is the only door we care to enter."

APPLICANTS FOR COMPTROLLER

Among Those Mentioned Is T. E. Cooper, of Wilmington

Washington, March 18.—Many applications have been received by President Wilson and Secretary McAdoo for the post of Comptroller of the Currency, which becomes vacant April 28th, when the five-year term of Lawrence O. Murray expires. The administration, it is said, will give careful thought to the appointment because of prospective currency reform.

Among those mentioned are I. R. Stevens, Huntsville, Ala.; Cato Sells, Texas; T. E. Cooper, Wilmington, N. C.

$25,000 PURSE PRESENTED.

Anderson College for Women Receives Gift from Friends.

Anderson, S. C., March 18.—A purse containing $25,000 was presented to Anderson College for Women today during the exercises incident to the induction of Rev. John F. Vines into the presidency of the institution. It was made up among friends of the college, which is now under the control of the State Baptist Convention.

ARGUMENT BEGINS IN SUPREME COURT

American Naval Stores Co. Attacks Sherman Law as a Criminal Act.

DEFENDANTS' FINAL EFFORT

Chief Justice Intimates Court Has Already Passed on Constitutionality—Two Officers Were Sentenced to Prison.

Washington, March 18.—When attorneys for officers of the American Naval Stores Company started to argue to the Supreme Court of the United States today that the tribunal had never passed upon the constitutionality of the Serman anti-trust law as a criminal act, Chief Justice White suggested that it had never "directly" passed upon the point, emphasizing the word "directly."

Samuel B. Adams, of Savannah, representing the company, explained that his position was that the Sherman law in prohibiting "unreasonable" restraint of trade had provided no standard or criterion by which acts might be measured, and so was too indefinite to be good as a criminal law. He contended this construction of the law made it impossible for a person to know whether he was violating the statute until a jury had exercised its whim as to whether the acts were "unreasonable."

"As I remember it, within a year or so we decided a case in which we held that 'reasonable' was a sufficiently definite standard," declared Justice Holmes.

Mr. Adams suggested he had distinguished that case from the one he was arguing.

"Do you have the crime of manslaughter in Georgia?" asked Chief Justice White. "Define it".

Mr. Adams hesitated. The Chief Justice thereupon recalled an incident that happened in New Orleans just after a period of military law, wherein a man shot another who was reaching for his snuff box in his hip pocket. "Now the jury found that in that day it was reasonable to suppose when a man reached to his pistol pocket he meant to pull his pistol, and so acquitted the accused on the ground of self defense. The jury declared the act was reasonable."

"How do you distinguish that case from this?"

Mr. Adams suggested that the crime of murder was a matter of statute and contented himself with referring to his brief and beginning an attack upon the form of the indictment.

Former Senator John C. Spooner for the accused and Assistant Attorney General Fowler, for the government, will address the court tomorrow.

The argument today marked the final effort of the defendants to have set aside their conviction in the Georgia Federal courts of violation of the Sherman anti-trust act. It was charged that they depressed the market for turpentine and rosin to such an extent that producers were compelled to sell at ridiculously low prices. Two of the naval stores company's officers, Spencer P. Shotter, chairman of the board of directors, and J. F. Cooper Myers, vice president, are the first men sentenced to imprisonment for violation of the statute to come before the Supreme Court.

FRENCH CABINET RESIGNS

Government Defeated on Vote of Confidence in Senate

Paris, March 18.—Premier Briand and all the members of his cabinet resigned today following the defeat of the government on a vote of confidence during a debate in the Senate.

The bill under debate was to reform the system of electoral representation for the Chamber of Deputies. It was passed by the chamber last July. The Briand cabinet met its Waterloo on an amendment introduced by a Republican Liberal, proposing that the majority party should receive the whole of the representation instead of its being decided by a proportional vote. It was defeated by a vote of 161 to 128.

Former Premier Clemenceau was one of the principal opponents of the bill in the Senate, on the ground that "the majority rule made by the French revolution is the foundation of the French Republic and is the surest guarantee of its future."

KILLED BY PLAYMATE.

Little Thelma Avent Shot by Companion at Waycross, Ga.

Waycross, Ga., March 18.—Playfully pointing his rifle at pretty 13-year-old Thelma Avent this afternoon, Edwin Adams, a 14-year-old playmate, threatened to shoot. There was an explosion and the girl dropped to the ground, dead, with a bullet through her heart. The boy was not taken into custody, the police being convinced that the shooting was accidental.

Both children were members of prominent families.

Baseball.

Shoes at Peterson & Rulfs.

(Advertisement.)

ORIOLES EASY FOR PHILLIES

National Leaguers Defeat Baltimore Team at Fayetteville 12 to 3—Cooper Stars—Games on Other Diamonds

Fayetteville, N. C., March 18.—The Philadelphia National and Baltimore International baseball teams played their opening pre-season game here today, Philadelphia winning by the score of 12 to 3. Dooin's men gave the Baltimore team Pitchers Roth, Danforth and Smith and had an interesting time, getting 13 hits. Cooper, former Trinity College, N. C., star, got three of the Orioles' five hits off Llewellyn, Seaton and Marshall.

New Orleans, 4; Detroit, 3

New Orleans, March 18.—The New Orleans, Southern League, today defeated the Detroit Americans 4 to 3 in a 12-inning game. Up to the eighth inning the score was 3 to 0 in favor of the Tigers. The score was tied in the ninth, but won out in the twelfth. Boehler and Klauss, pitching for Detroit, each took six innings.

Athletics Get 15 Hits

Memphis, Tenn., March 18.—During, Pennock and Wyckoff, pitching for the Philadelphia American regulars, held the Memphis, Southern League team, to five hits today while the major leaguers batted out 15, several for extra bases and won 8 to 2. Baker and Strunk each made three hits.

Whitsett, 8; A. A. C., 1

Greensboro, N. C., March 18.—The Atlantic Christian College baseball team of Wilson, N. C., was outplayed and outclassed by the Whitsett Institute team at Whitsett today, the final score being 8 to 1 in Whitsett's favor.

Georgetown Wins

Washington, March 18.—Georgetown University, 16; Mount St. Joseph, 3.

Cardinals Win 3 to 0

Albany, Ga., March 18.—The St. St. Louis Nationals today defeated the Albany, South Atlantic League team, 3 to 0 in a well-played game. Wolfe, who pitched the last six innings for Albany, held the big leaguers to three scratch hits. Griner and Stevenson pitched for St. Louis. The Albany team made five hits against seven by the St. Louis club.

U. Va., 0; Washington 6.

Charlottesville, Va., March 18.—Washington Americans 6; University of Virginia 0.

A. C. L. VS. CAROLINA

Much Local Interest in Baseball Game to be Played Saturday

Much interest has been aroused among the fans here in the baseball game to be played at League Park Saturday afternoon between the crack Atlantic Coast Line team and the team of the University of North Carolina and the attendance is expected to be large. It is said that this will be the first time Carolina has played a game in this city. The team came here for a game last season, but rain prevented the game from being played.

The game Saturday will be called at 3:30 o'clock. The Tidewater Power Company has promised ample car service to handle the crowds. The Carolina squad will arrive in the city Saturday morning at 10:10 o'clock from Chapel Hill and will stop at The Orton while in the city. The boys will spend Easter Sunday here. Mr. Robt. Strange, of this city, is manager of the team, Mr. Burr Edwards, who is considered one of the best college infielders in the country, is captain, and Mr. T. G. Trenchard, the famous Princeton man, is coach.

DEATH OF MR. J. W. HENRY

Bladen County Citizen Dies of Pellagra in Raleigh

His friends in this city and elsewhere will be pained to learn of the death last Friday in Raleigh of Mr. J. W. Henry, of Ivanhoe. Mr. Henry had been suffering from pellagra for several years and was finally taken to Raleigh for treatment but nothing availed and he passed away Friday. His remains were taken to his old home Saturday, where he was buried, funeral services being held from the Baptist church of which he had long been a consistent member. Mr. Henry was in his 52nd year. He is survived by Mrs. Henry and ten children, his aged mother, Mrs. E. A. Henry, of Ivanhoe; three brothers, Messrs. E. L. Henry, of Kelly, R. J. Henry, of Ivanhoe, and G. T. Henry, of Colquitt, Ga.; and four sisters, Mrs. H. B. Bessent, of Wilmington, Mrs. G. Smith, of Kelly, and Misses Graham and Cora Henry, of Ivanhoe.

TAXI ROBBERS CONFESS.

Police Think They Will Have Entire Band Incriminated.

New York, March 18.—Seven of the 11 men gathered in police raids last night as suspected members of the band of taxicab robbers who carried out many bold holdups in the last six months, were identified or made confessions today. They were remanded for 24 hours on statements of detectives that all of the 11 would be so deeply incriminated by tomorrow that none would find it worth while to deny his guilt.

Chief among the confessors was Joseph Taylor, who, boasting that he was the band's leader, made statements that are expected to result in other arrests.

According to the police, Taylor told of a number of contemplated robberies. Two of these were of postoffice sub-stations. Several others were abandoned because of the presence of women clerks, Taylor explaining that his followers had no desire to raid shops where women were likely to be victims of an enforced shooting affray. Another prospective robbery was of a Fifth avenue jeweler, where one man was to have smashed the show window with a brick, grabbing the valuables and escape in a taxicab while the crowd was "covered" by confederates who planned flight in another car. This scheme was abandoned because the robbers feared women and children in the streets might be killed.

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Shoes at Peterson & Rulfs.
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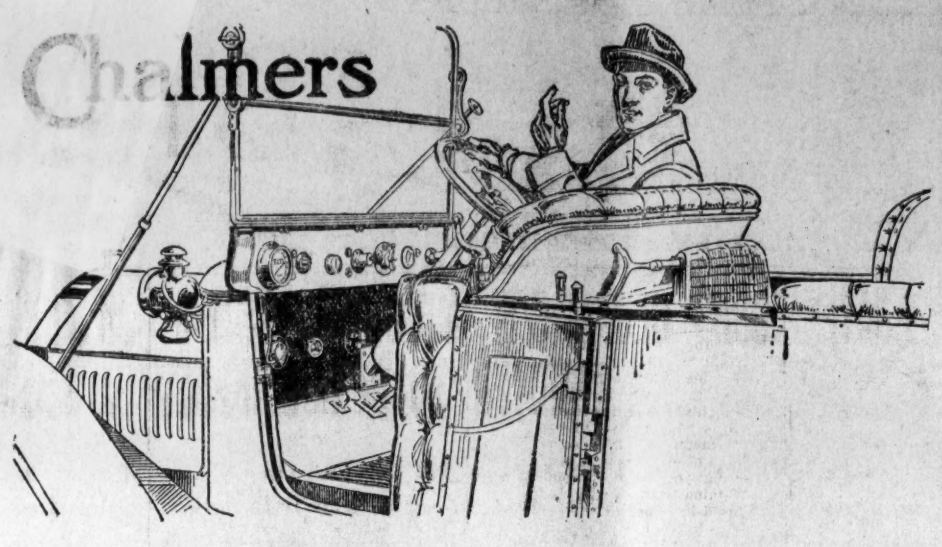

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Joe Weber, a man who has engineered many plays of farcial situations to a successful production is the original producer of "Alma, Where Do You Live?" which will be presented at the Academy Saturday, matinee and night.

The play is described as a French vaudeville, which is the only descriptive phrase which Mr. Weber could hit upon, as it is not a musical comedy, a farce with music, or a comic opera. Yet it has all the characteristics and popular features of all of these. In adapting the farce and in composing the 14 lyrics, Mr. Hobart has eliminated all the objectionable features of the play, retaining only enough of the story to build the series of farcial complications which gave the piece its vogue in a run of 500 nights in Mr. Weber's theatre in New York.

Prices for the matinee will be of the popular nature, for such an attraction, being 25 and 50 cents, while the night prices will go to $1.50, but only a few seats downstairs will be held at that figure. Seats will go on sale at Plummer's Friday morning.

Today at the Bijou.

Today at the Bijou is going to be one of big laughs and of great tugs at the heart strings. It is going to be one of those days when a lump will rise in the throat one moment, at some touching incident flashed on the screen and the next merriment will fill the soul.

The Biograph's greatest dramatic effort, one with a big moral and that yet breathes thrills, will be one of today's stars in "A Girl's Stratagem." It tells of a young man, in the city, away from the guiding hand of his mother, going to the dogs, but, at the very brink he is saved by a girl he meets in one of the squalid tenements. There is also another dramatic, one extra interesting as it will star that clever, graceful actress, Miss Ruth Stonehouse, in Essanay's "Requitted Love."

The leading fun film on today is "The Gun Man", and it will be enjoyed by all, but especially by traveling salesmen, as it depicts the antics of one of the craft in a country town.

Grand's Splendid New Bill

People have come to know that the Grand offers each day the very best that is to be had in the pictures and an added delight is the new song daily by the soloist and the always delightful music by the Grand orchestra.

Harry Harris, the singer, will have for his song today an illustrated number entitled, "A Girlie Was Just Made to Love." It is a splendid song and Harris will be heard to advantage in it. In the pictures there will be a big Pathe, "The Cheapest Way," a rural comedy of surpassing interest, and an Edison, "Ann," just simple, plain Ann. It is a dramatic offering of great power and strength and involves the question of parental authority and control. It teaches a strong lesson and one that is well worth the seeing by young as well as old. In addition to these two, there will be still a third. Be sure to attend the performances today.

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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Seaboard Conductor Injured—Chamber of Commerce—Two Charters Are Issued—Special Tax Election—Power Co. Suit

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 18.—Mrs. W. F. Hartman and children have gone to Richmond to be with Capt. Hartman, conductor on the Seaboard Air Line, who is in a hospital there with both legs, an arm and his nose broken as a result of a wreck of his freight train at Skelton, Va. His condition is said to be critical.

The local campaign for the re-organization of the Raleigh Chamber of Commerce was resumed last night after suspension of effort during the closing days of the Legislature. The re-organization is along commission form lines and is being directed by A. W. McKeand, specialist in this work.

The remains of Mrs. Martha Battle, wife of Dr. Kemp P. Battle, of the University of North Carolina, arrived here from Chapel Hill this afternoon at 12:30 o'clock and were conveyed to Christ Episcopal church, where the funeral services were conducted by Rev. Milton A. Barber, the rector, assisted by Bishop Cheshire and Dr. I. McK. Pittinger, of the Church of the Good Shepherd. The interment was in the family lot in Oakdale cemetery.

The Granville County Publishing Co., of Oxford, is chartered with $5,000 authorized and $1,000 subscribed by J. C. Haskins, J. F. Webb and D. G. Brunnett for newspaper and job printing business. Another charter is to the Excelsior Steam Laundry Co., of Raleigh, capital $25,000 authorized and $9,500 subscribed by W. S. West, N. A. Dunn, R. W. Dunn and Howard Haywood.

The Wake County Board of Education has just ordered three important school elections to take place on early dates. Cary High School district votes April 26th on a $25,000 bond issue; Wakelon High School district on a $15,000 bond issue on April 22nd and Apex Grammar School district on a $12,500 bond issue Tuesday, April 22nd. Also there is to be an election in Piney Grove township for a special school house tax of 30 cents on the $100 property valuation.

Robert A. Rowe has instituted suit against the Carolina Power & Light Co., for $7,000 damages in being struck by a street car. The Martin Hosiery Mills Co., has instituted suit against the city for damages as yet unspecified on account of the overflow of a city sewer that damaged machinery of the mill.

Prof. C. E. McIntosh, principal of the Durham city schools, has been given the position of chief clerk in the State Department of Education to succeed Prof. E. E. Same, who has been advanced to the place of supervisor of teacher training and director of teachers' institutes and normal schools, succeeding the late Prof. J. A. Bivens. Prof. McIntosh has been with the Durham schools three years, is a graduate of the University and will enter on his duties at once.

BURGAW NEWS NOTES.

Need of Good Roads—Heavy Rainfall. Personal and Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgaw, N. C., March 18.—Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Croom came up from Wilmington Saturday in their automobile but on account of rain and consequent bad roads, had to abandon the machine for the return by rail. This emphasizes the need of good roads and it is hoped that when the bridge across Northeast river is completed and open for travel, the road will be put in good order, thus making easy a trip to and from Wilmington by private conveyance.

The numerous friends of Mrs. W. T. Bannerman, of Wilmington, for a long time a resident of Burgaw, were glad to see her on a visit to friends and relatives here last week.

Hon. John M. Faison, Congressman from this district, is expected here this week to look after the postmastership, as he will likely have a very important say in the matter.

Winter weather returned Saturday night, following an all-day rain. There has been more rainfull here during the past week than at any time during the Winter, and it interferes materially with farming operations. Fears are entertained for Irish potatoes that have been planted within the last week or so, that they may rot in the ground. Notwithstanding the cold and unfavorable weather, strawberries appear to be more forward than at any time within the past years, as some have already been shipped from Rocky Point.

It is reported that the A. C. L. Railroad will put in here a pass switch of considerable length to accommodate the trains that meet here and relieve the congestion, this being a meeting point for a number of trains and there is considerable delay in passing at times.

Mrs. E. A. Murphy, whose illness was noted last week, is recovering and is expected to be her usual self pretty soon, which will be gratifying news to her many friends.

The friends of Hon. George Rountree hope he will accept the appointment of judge, as they feel that he will make a good one, and that is the kind the people need on the bench. If the Governor makes as good selction for solicitor, he will do well.

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FLOODS IN DUPLIN

Considerable Damage in Vicinity of Wallace—Norfolk Lumber Co.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wallace, N. C., March 18.—The terrific rains of Friday night and Saturday wrought considerable damage throughout Duplin county and the town of Wallace and vicinity suffered its share of the loss.

The high waters put the light and power plant out of commission and the entire town was in darkness last night and will probably remain without lights for some little time.

By far the heaviest loser is the Norfolk Lumber Company. Their gigantic plant on the banks of Rock Fish Creek has been almost entirely submerged since last Saturday night, and is still in such a condition that it is impossible to estimate accurately the loss. The water covered the dust-oven arches and it was necessary to raise the dynamo four feet from its base to protect it. The loss at the mill to machinery will probably not exceed $2,500, but the main loss comes from the logging road.

Three trestles over Rock Fish creek were washed away and several miles of roadbed is washed out, entailing a loss of at least five thousand dollars. At the present time the water is falling rapidly, and repair work can probably be started tomorrow, but it will be a week or ten days before shipping can be resumed.

Hundreds of visitors spent the afternoon yesterday about the plant of the Norfolk Lumber Company, watching the high water and enjoying the unusual sight of boats paddling from house to house where it is unusually high and dry. It is by far the heaviest flood the county has suffered in many years. Bridges everywhere are gone and travel through the country is blocked.

While returning from Teachey's to Wallace Saturday morning, Mrs. Geo. Boney and Miss Alice Hussey, of Wallace, and Miss Davis Cooper, of Kenansville, suffered a very thorough wetting and had a narrow escape from drowning, when the surry in which they were driving turned over in a ditch full of water. The heavy rains had swollen a small creek to river dimensions, the driver did not discover that the bridge had washed away until right at the stream. In attempting to turn, the surry was backed into a side ditch and turned turtle. The top and side curtains had the ladies penned in, and but for the aid of a passing negro who pulled them out, the accident might have resulted seriously. As it is the ladies are only suffering from colds and hoarseness as a result of their ducking.

THE NEW JUDGESHIPS.

Rival Candidate in Second—Mr. Rountree Will Probably Accept.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 18.—A big delegation from Rocky Mount headed by Representative P. R. Cappelle, was here last evening to urge upon Governor Craig the appointment of Hon. T. T. Thorne to the judgeship for the new second judicial district and they spent more than an hour with the Governor urging the merits of their candidate for the place. The Governor did not commit himself, but assured the delegation that he will make the appointment this week, indeed, the Governor's manner was such as to indicate that the appointment may be expected at any time now.

The contest is now narrowed down to Senator Thorne and Hon. George W. Connor, Speaker of the House. It seems certain it will be one of these with friends of Senator Thorne putting up an especially vigorous fight. Governor Craig has no idea, he says, when he will make another appointment for the new 14th district, the judgeship for which has just been declined by Hon. Cameron Morrison.

It is conceded that Hon. George Rountree will accept the judgeship in the eighth district. His law partner, Hon. J. O. Carr, was a caller at the Governor's office today and without actually speaking for his law partner, contributed to the general belief that Mr. Rountree will accept.

TRINITY DEFEATS ELON.

Opening Game of Season Won by the Score of Four to Two.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Durham, N. C., March 18.—Trinity today won the opening game of the season in defeating Elon, the final score being 4 to 2. Both teams appeared rather raw and errors were not infrequent. Joyner, of Elon, scored in the first inning on a wild throw of Fitzgerald to Patterson at first, and Bruce landed on Fitzgerald for three bases in the seventh, later scoring Litchfield scored the first run for Trinity in the first, going from second home on an error of the catcher. Later in the game Anderson scored on an error of the catcher and Siler scored on a two-bagger by Baird in the eighth Baird landed on another two-bagger, scoring Thompson. Godfrey was put in the box in the seventh and pitched a steady game. Spence in centerfield for Trinity made several feature plays. Siler substituted Patterson at first in the fourth inning, the latter having sustained a sprained ankle. Hits: Trinity, single, Thompson 2; McLean; two-bagger, Baird 2. Elon, singles, Newman 2; Ingle, Burns, Atkinson, three bagger, Bruce. Batteries, Trinity: Fitzgerald, McLean, Godfrey, Maddox. Elon: Atkinson and Harward. Umpire, Henderson.

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VIRGINIA AND EAST CAROLINA

New Road Building Towards Rocky Mount—Terminals Wanted

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., March 18.—That the Virginia & East Carolina Railroad which is building from Henderson in a southeasterly direction to Castalia in Nash county, and which if it may follow a preliminary survey, will be carried on to Wilson, may in all probability build to Rocky Mount judging from a letter in the hands of the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce from the president of the proposed road, Col. J. M. Turner, who advises that he is making the trip from Castalia through Nash county, and touching the point of Red Oak, Hilliardston, Castalia and Ellenville. He hopes to reach this city the latter part of the present week and to have meet with him a committee of the business men and directors of the Chamber of Commerce. It is given out that Col. Turner desires to learn as to probable sites for the location of freight and passenger terminals should his road build to this city, explaining that he felt confident that if suitable locations for the freight warehouses and yards, that would compare favorably in accessibility to those of the Atlantic Coast Line, could not be secured that it would be an impossibility almost for his company to come to this city.

The matter is now in the hands of the Chamber of Commerce and while the time is short it is the purpose of the management to have a large committee of the business men and the directors meet with Mr. Turner and, as far as within their power lays, to offer as attractive a site as it is possible to secure.

DANIELS GOING HOME

Secretary Leaves Capital to Close Up Affairs in Raleigh

Washington, March 18.—Secretary Daniels, of the Navy Department, left today for his home in Raleigh, N. C., to close his affairs there preparatory to taking up his permanent residence in Washington. He will be absent until the latter part of the week, during which time Franklin D. Roosevelt, of New York, who succeeded Beekman Winthrop as assistant Secretary of the Navy, will be in charge of the department.

Baseball.

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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective January 5, 1913. Time Not Guaranteed.

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No. 90, † 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 3:20 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
* A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 86, *12:20 A. M.
No. 64, † 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, † 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, * 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
N. 59, † 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, †10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 6:45 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington, and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57, † 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No.58, † 8:15 A. M.

* Daily. † Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., can 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect October 29, 1912.

Winter Park, Wrightsville, Wrightsville Beach and Intermediate Points.

EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for Winter Park	EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for Wrightsville	EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for The Beach	WEST BOUND. Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	WEST BOUND. Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	WEST BOUND. Leave The Beach for Wilmington
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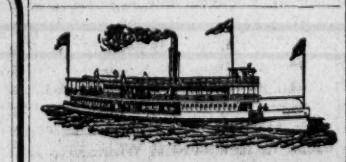

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
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Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Wilmington, N. C., under Act of Congress, March 2nd, 1874.

FULL ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.

Wednesday, March 19, 1913 .

Why should it be as bad as ever when Lent is over?

The Wilson girls are to become more famous than the Gibson girls.

March seems to be a son of a gun everywhere but in Wilmington.

Whatever may be said of the new nickle it will be regarded everywhere as a cheap affair.

Are we doing everything we ought to do for the progress of Wilmington? If not, why not?

Trimmers, sidesteppers and dodgers seem to succeed because people don't know they are guilty.

Mayor Lee Shank, of Indianapolis, is to enter vaudeville. Are there not already too many shanks on the stage?

Secretary McAddo has left Washington and gone to New York for a rest. We had no idea it was so bad in Washington.

The New York Tribune calls upon Republicans to "wake up." What's the use of disturbing the rest of the minority?

When the campaign spielers go forth in a few years, will they begin their speech with "Fellow and Fellowless Citizens?"

It is said "J. Pierpont Morgan and ex-President Diaz have left Egypt." Oh, well, the probability is that they didn't want it.

Colonel Roosevelt says: "In the long run we all go up or down together." However, we don't all go after it together.

They are now trying to prove that Queen Elizabeth was a man. If so, she kept the secret so well that he was never suspected.

North Carolina plans a new constitution, probably intending to include at least part of the celebrated dialogue between the Carolina Governors.—Atlanta Journal.

An English suffragette disclosed a plot of the suffragettes to kidnap David Lloyd-George, Chancellor of the Exchequer. The secret was too good for a woman to keep.

It is said wines and liquors will not be used in the White House during the Wilson administration. Neither white wine nor red liquor will be served at the White House.

"Every man is cut out for something," says some writer. Even so, lots of us waste time cutting up all sorts of capers rather than do those things for which we have really been cut out.

In England the suffragettes hired dock laborers to lick the stuffing out of student roughs who interfered with their meeting. Women can always find somebody that will fight for them as well as fight about them.

"Dead men tell no tales;" half dead ones make no sales. Drones make no honey and merchants who are not live ones make no money. Live wires advertise and succeed because they are wise. Whoever saw a live advertiser that was not doing the business of the city or getting as much of it as other live merchants? The success of advertisers is the most practical reason why advertising pays.

The Bulgarians are the greatest press agents in the world. All during the Allies' War on Turkey she has played the leading role and pushed herself to the fore at every chance. In the press dispatches Bulgaria overshadows the Greeks, Montenegrins and Servians. No matter how much hard fighting the others may do, she manages to appear as the whole cheese. She has strewn the world with reading matter that would shape public opinion in behalf of the cause she is leading. No doubt the prevalence of "Balkan" millinery things this season is due to her clever publicity agents. This characteristic of her leaders is by no means unadmirable.

"Trade and How to Get It." Who has made a study of that question so far as Wilmington is concerned? "Wilmington's Commerce and How to Increase It"; "Wilmington's Seaside Resorts and What to Do to Attract Visitors to Them"; "Wilmington's Industries, How to Enlarge Them and Induce the Establishment of Others"; "The Growth of Wilmington and How to Make the City Keep on Growing." Who will study each question, or all of them, and lead the way with some plan to accomplish results? Each subject is a big one within itself, and every man in Wilmington, old and young, ought to keep some "idea memorandums" and later compile them in practical form. We might soon hold a municipal convention of Wilmingtonians with visions.

BELIEVE IN YOUR PORT.

For quite a while The Star has been endeavoring to induce the business men of Wilmington and the people of North Carolina to believe in the port of Wilmington. We have written enough on the subject to make a book, because we realize that the people here did not take their port as seriously as they should. There has been evident lack of appreciation of the potentiality and possibilities of North Carolina's ocean gateway, and it is yet manifest in the failure to become united and enthusiastic over some definite plan to build up the commerce of the port. This same failure to fully appreciate ocean traffic as a powerful factor in city building is too manifest at all our South Atlantic ports, and this from the Savannah Morning News indicates how it is down there:

"Savannah can't have too many visitors of the kind that Mr. William Leonard Hurley, of Camden, N. J., is. If our citizens were moved by the same sort of boosting spirit that he showed in his interview published in the Morning News yesterday, Savannah's growth would be more rapid than it is. He not only admires Savannah greatly, but he proposes to establish an industry and a business here. And he doesn't ask for a site for his projected industry or that shares in its capital stock shall be taken by our citizens. All that he asks is that he shall receive the support which his industry is naturally entitled to have.

"It is his opinion that the business men of Savannah do not appreciate the importance of their city and its advantages as a port. As he sees the situation here Savannah is destined to be the New York of the South. It is to be more than that, because it has a climate that, in his opinion, is much superior for Winter residence to that of the far-famed Winter resorts of Italy. He doesn't think that there is any place in the United States that compares with this city as a place of Winter residence. In fact, he foresees the time when all of the South Atlantic and Gulf coast will be thickly dotted with towns that will be Winter resorts.

"But it is as a port and a site for industries that Savannah appeals strongest to Mr. Hurley. She is admirably located for manufacturing and her commerce ought to increase by leaps and bounds. Having as she has a great country back of her, reached by first-class railroads, and a harbor that is capable of accommodating steamships of the largest freight-carrying class, her commerce is bound to go on growing at a rapid rate. The only thing lacking from Mr. Hurley's point of view is the get-together spirit. He thinks there should be more of it. There is truth in what he says about that. It is astonishing what the people of a city can accomplish for its advancement when they pull together and pull with a will."

This does not mean that there is total lack of appreciation of the port of Savannah, or Wilmington, for that matter, for individuals, firms, and manufacturers have seen their opportunities and are doing the commerce of their respective ports. They have amassed fortunes because they have utilized their port as an asset. The exports from both Savannah and Wilmington show that somebody takes these ports seriously and that they are responsible for their record in the commerce of the country. There is, however, no united movement to promote commerce outside of the regular lines that each individual is engaged in. Even men with capital and seeking investments have not waked up to the opportunities offered to them by the ocean outlets to the trade of the world.

We should not let strangers see more possibilities in our ports than we can see ourselves. We ought to study our ports and believe in them so we can make others believe in them. If we believe in them ourselves we would do more with them ourselves. Shall others come and see what we ourselves ought to know are the needs of our ports? It is inspiring, however, for men like Mr. Hurley to come and be impressed like he is with Savannah. When others can see our advantages and become impressed like the New Jersey man, we may know full well there is something in it.

Mr. C. J. Becker, who recently came to Wilmington to manage the Clyde Line's business at this port, has been impressed with the possibilities of this ocean gateway. He was quick to observe one need of the port, and that is more terminal warehouses that are bound to be needed if Wilmington is to greatly increase its commerce. That is what The Star has urged time and again. We have advocated municipal terminals, but it is not municipal terminals that we speak of just now. We mean private owned warehouses and terminals that can acccommodate the ocean traffic that already is coming here and which would come in greater volume but for the lack of warehouse facilities. That warehouses are needed is demonstrated by the fact that only a few months ago an importer was turned away because he could not get warehouses for his business. About three years ago another importer had to go to another port for the same reason. It is estimated by a high port authority that the business lost would have increased the volume of our commerce from $4,000,000 to $5,000,000 a year in just the two instances

The best way to do business is to prepare for it, and the best way to increase commerce is to get ready and do it. The idea is to get ready for the commerce that already has been offered here and is bound to come when the Panama canal is open for business. Anyhow, we ought to be willing to meet the present demands on the port. The fact that we have had to turn away business points us to an opportunity that we ought to seize at the earliest opportunity.

IS A MARRIED MAN PREFERABLE?

Among the things to which business men have to give attention these days is what kind of men and what kind of women to employ, with a business-like view of obtaining the maximum of efficiency. Benjamin Franklin, sage and philosopher, took the side of married men. He declared that an unmarried employe is like one-half a pair of shears. That means that he is about half as efficient as a man who has a better half.

"System" Magazine says not all employes agree with Franklin, but we fancy that married men have an idea that Franklin was right, while unmarried men think Franklin was biased because he must have had a good wife who helped him in his work by not causing him any worry. She may also have had system in her house-keeping so he could get his meals promptly and report regularly for business without wasting time or being late in getting to work. Of course, that counts, for a systematic wife is a great help to the man who has work to do or a duty to perform.

Nevertheless, the opponents of that idea point to the fact that one railroad out West discriminates about the kind of married men it puts on a job. He may be a good fellow and worthy of employment, but inquiry into the kind of wife he has is something to be considered. The railroad has made a ruling that a man with "domestic troubles" will not be allowed to remain in the employ of the company. His working efficiency is impaired, it is claimed, and the chance for accidents on account of his moments of worry or brooding is increased.

This causes "System" to make this inquiry: "In the study of man-efficiency hasn't this element been generally overlooked?" It might be overloked in many instances, but it is taken note of by employers who never "let on" about it, for they know that a man who raises "rough house" at home is in no fit condition for work when he reports for duty. Neither is he the kind of man who will make himself agreeable to those who have dealings with him. On the other hand, if he is ordinarily amiable, courteous and attentive, he certainly would not be himself if everything has gone wrong at home. He may have to report for work without breakfast. He probably gets up and "scraps up" something to eat himself. Perhaps he is nagged half out of his life before he left home. Under circumstances like that, no man could possibly be as efficient as if he had gotten his breakfast on time and had kisses thrown at him when he left home for work.

While some married men may be disposed to worry and waste time telling their troubles, many plod along and do the best they can. They will acknowledge that they could do better, earn more for the family and get along better in life if they didn't have it "broke off" in them at home. Nevertheless, employers know that it depends altogether on the man, single or married, whether he is efficient. Many married men may have to be good and are kept straight at home, "regulated," so to speak, while young men have nobody to "hold them down." They may dissipate, be up all night on a frolic, spend half the night calling on girl friends, may be upset over lovers' quarrels, may be smarting of some slight offense, may be jealous and have their nose out of joint, may have been "thrown down" by a girl, and be "all broke up" from various causes which do not affect a married man whose wife hides his hat and won't let him leave at night.

The fact is, employers have to study the man, and they will find that there isn't any rule except that a steady young man or a settled married man are efficient and can be trusted. All shy at "gay larks" and nobody is stuck on a married man who is henpecked or "hell hacked," as they say over in South Carolina. We are afraid the pros and cons in this discussion, could carry it on indefinitely, without doing any damage to a level-headed young man or a prudent married man who has a wife that won't worry him till he falls down on his job. Integrity, honesty, intelligence and industry count above everything else.

GOVERNOR CRAIG'S JUDICIAL SELECTIONS.

Governor Craig seems to have made a judicious choice in appointing the three judges of the three extra Superior Court circuits created by the General Assembly at its recent session. The appointments have given unexceptional satisfaction everywhere in the State.

For the Wilmington district the Governor appointed the Hon. George Rountree, whose acceptance has not yet been signified by that distinguished gentleman. He has been giving careful consideration to the Governor's tender and we have been waiting with the hope that Mr. Rountree would accept if he could see his way to make the sacrifice that it would entail upon him. It is men like Mr. Rountree who would shed lustre on the judiciary and honor the State which boasts of such a long line of eminent men on the bench from the earliest days of the Commonwealth.

Mr. Rountree is one of the ablest and most distinguished lawyers in the State, and if he were to accept the judgeship it would be at the sacrifice of a large practice. Yet, while it is a personal question for him to decide, we cannot restrain the hope that he will accept the judgeship. Mr. Rountree is one of the State's most learned and accomplished men, and ranks high as a constitutional lawyer and versatile attorney. We have always considered his temperament to be eminently judicial, though to a strong lawyer the bench has little attractions, considering the difference in professional earnings and official emoluments. If he should accept, and his friends hope he may, it would be a strong acquisition to the judiciary of the State.

The other appointees of Governor Craig are the Hon. George W. Connor, of the Wilson district, and the Hon. Cameron Morrison, of the Charlotte district. Both are able lawyers and are among the State's most distinguished men. Mr. Morrison for many years has been a strong member of the Charlotte bar, and has been prominent in the Democratic councils of the State. Mr. Connor is a brilliant lawyer and has ranked high as a member of the Wilson bar. He was Speaker of the House at the recent session of the General Assembly, and in that eminent position he has greatly added to his reputation for ability of an extraordinary kind. He is a son of Judge H. G. Connor, of the United States District Court, for the eastern North Carolina district, but it is on account of his own natural ability that the ermine has come to him.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Senator Simmons becomes chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, the most powerful of all the Senate standing committees. That much is settled; and evidently, there be some North Carolinians so broad-guaged (?) as to feel some disappintment that the Senator was chosen for this important place. They take up their time explaining how it happened and declaring that the Senator will be a mere figurehead in the position. They do not seem to be bothered by the thought that there is no necessity—whatever—for the Senate to put a figurehead into that position. It could very easily re-organize on a different basis, if the wisdom of doing so were to become apparent. But no; Senator Simmons is honored by the confidence of his colleagues. He is in thorough accord with the Democratic platform and in sympathy with the administration. He is known as one of the best informed men in the United States on the tariff problem. By nearly 25,000 majority the voters of the Tar Heel State returned him to the Senate and, in the leading role he is to play, Senator Simmons will not disappoint them. —Kinston Free Press.

Mr. A. W. McLean, of Lumberton, has been prominently mentioned several times lately as a probable candidate for the Governorship four years hence. No man who knows him doubts that he would fill that office with credit to the State, his native county and himself. It is about time for Robeson to furnish the Governor and the following from the St. Paul's Messenger is worth the consideration of every loyal Robesonian: "Robeson county will have the opportunity of furnishing the Governor in 1916, if we all get together and pull as we should. Robeson has been robbed of her laurels because of little petty spitefulness among her good citizens. Men and brethren, let us all rise above personal jealousies and labor for the common weal. County pride should appeal to every citizen. There are men in Robeson the equal of any in the bounds of this great State, and although a son by adoption, this writer means to prove his loyalty to the home man, by we have an aspirant for the honor, by supporting him while there is a ray of hope for success. And Robeson has the man to win, if we all do our duty by him, in Mr. A. W. McLean, of Lumberton."—Lumberton Robesonian.

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MRS. PARIS HELPS SISTER

Sister's Visit Proved Not Only a Pleasure, but Resulted in Much Good

Salt Creek, Va.—In interesting advices from this town, Mrs. W. H. Paris writes as follows: "I was down in bed with womanly troubles—dizziness, fainting spells, backache, headache etc. I began taking Cardui, the woman's tonic, and after taking several bottles, I feel fine, and am able to do all my housework.

"My sister visited me this Summer, and was suffering from the same trouble. Of course, I advised her to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, and as a result, she wrote me a few days ago that she had begun taking Cardui, and was feeling much better.

"I am still taking Cardui as a tonic, and I never fail to recommend it when I have a chance."

Cardui is successful because it is composed of pure vegetable ingredients that act gently on the delicate womanly organs, and helps build them back to health and strength in a natural manner.

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N. B.—Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co.; Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper.

(Advertisement.)

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IN SPRING'S NEWEST MODES.

We are showing an excellent line of High Grade Strictly Tailored Suits for Women, in a variety of weaves and colors.

NEW MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

Pretty Corset Covers with Lace and Embroidery. New Crepe Gowns with Ribbon-run Casings.

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Long Petticoats, Combination Suits, Drawers in various styles.

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This bank makes it a rule to give all accounts and business careful attention.

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Don't be afraid to offer us a small deposit. It will be received and your business well cared for.

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PORTLAND CEMENT

Just received by Schooner "Edward R. Baird, Jr.," 2,500 Barrels Portland Cement.

W. B. THORPE & CO.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

MRS. SARAH RUSSELL DEAD

Widow of Governor Daniel L. Russell Passed Away Last Evening at Home in Brunswick County —Funeral

Many friends in Wilmington and elsewhere throughout the State will be shocked and saddened to learn of the death of Mrs. Sarah Amanda Russell, widow of Former Governor Daniel L. Russell, which occurred at her home at Belleville, on the Brunswick river, in Brunswick county, at 6 o'clock last evening, following an illness extending over a period of several months. For the past week she has been in a state of coma and her death has been momentarily expected.

Mrs. Russell was a daughter of Col. Newton Sanders and Mrs. Caroline Burns Sanders and was born in Onslow county in 1844. She studied at St. Mary's school and from girlhood until the death of her husband five years ago she was vitally interested and actively engaged in the leading movements of the day. Her latter years were quietly passed at her country home in Brunswick.

Mrs. Russell was remarkably gifted in personal attractions and mental qualities. She filled the positions to which Governor Russell's career called her with great ease and grace. Her influence was always for the high and noble and hundreds received inspiration from her. While the First Lady of the State at the executive mansion, Mrs. Russell took a firm stand for temperance. Though her attitude, at the time, was felt to be too severe, her courage and independence doubtless did much to make the movement a popular one a few years later. Her charities cannot be numbered and her well-worn Bible attests her deep religious nature and Christian faith.

Having no children of her own, Mrs. Russell's heart and home were open to the young people of her family and the kindness and generosity of "Auntie" and "Cousin Amanda" will be to them sacred memories forever.

Mrs. Russell leaves a brother, Mr. David J. Sanders, of Onslow county, and two sisters, Mrs. J. Johnson, of Brunswick, and Mrs. Robert W. Freshwatters, of Onslow. Among her nieces and nephews are Mrs. L. W. Curtis, of Hamlet; Mrs. E. W. Sawyer, of Wilmington; Mr. D. R. Johnson and Miss Katherine Johnson and Mrs. E. W. Taylor, of Winnabow; Mr. Newton Sanders, of Magnolia, and Mr. D. B. Sanders, of Wilmington. The bereaved will have the sympathy of many friends in their sorrow.

About five months ago it was found necessary for Mrs. Russell to submit to an operation, which was performed at the Wilmington Sanitarium by the most skillful specialists. Her health returned, but only for a time—the disease could be stayed, not cured. Her patience, gentleness and faith were now triumphant over all suffering and sorrow and a beautiful life received its crowning glory.

The funeral will be held Thursday at 12 o'clock from the home in Brunswick county and the body will be taken to Maysville, Onslow county, where the interment will take place Friday morning at 11 o'clock.

FEDERAL JURORS DRAWN

Those Who Are to Serve in United States Court in May

Jurors for the Spring term of United States Court, which begins in Wilmington Tuesday, May 13th, have been drawn by Mr. S. P. Collier, clerk of the court. For the first week the following were drawn:

Brunswick County—George H. Gray, W. H. Pyke, A. S. Kirby and J. W. Lancaster.

Bladen—D. W. Downing, D. G. Robeson and L. B. Tatum.

Columbus—J. F. Creech, Crandall Brown, Lon Brown and Calton Soles.

Cumberland—J. H. Weatherington, J. B. Wilson, G. W. Jackson and J. P. Thomas.

Duplin—J. Hendley Carr, C. M. Carr and R. C. Best.

New Hanover—W. S. Cooper, F. E. Hashagen, H. McL. Green, Anson Alligood, John H. Hintze, C. W. Polvogt, C. W. Worth and W. N. Atkinson.

Pender—George J. Powers, L. V. Kelly and George P. Jordan.

Richmond—W. M. Harris, A. B Wallace and M. B. Cameron.

Robeson—D. C. Regan, W. K. Culbreth, J. E. Clifton and John D. McNeill.

Sampson—L. A. Bethune, J. Buck Pigford and J. F. Faison.

Scotland—H. O. Covington, C. C. Snead and W. T. Wright.

The jurors for the second week of the term follow:

Brunswick—G. W. Kirby.

Bladen—A. S. Cain.

Columbus—D. W. Merritt.

Cumberland—J. A. Moore and Francis McMillan.

Duplin—W. H. Hatcher and W. H. Taylor.

New Hanover—James F. Tripp, C. C. Chadbourn, A. A. Nathan and R. H. Pickett.

Pender—Clarence Boney and H. M. Durant.

Richmond—James Green.

Robeson—G. M. D. Howard and Coller Cobb.

Sampson—Jerre J. Matthews.

Scotland—C. J. Terry.

Meeting This Morning.

Several matters of more or less interest are to be considered by the City Council in regular weekly session this morning. It is expected that a resolution will be adopted providing for the purchase of the plant of the Brooklyn Sewerage Co., for $2,850, the price agreed upon at a conference Monday morning between members of Council and officers of the company. Mayor Smith has replied to the last communication from the Wilmington Trades Council with reference to renting of the stalls and spaces at the Front street market house, inviting members of the body to appear before Council this morning so that they may be given a hearing. The registrars and poll-holders of the forthcoming primary and election will likely be named by Council this morning and it is not improbable that Council will elect a member of the City Board of Health to fill the vacancy caused by the death last week of Mr. B. O. Stone.

FINE TRUCKING PROSPECTS

Lettuce Crop Biggest and Best Ever Grown in This Section—Buyers Have Already Arrived—Strawberries Ripening

Unless some unforseen misfortune falls, Carolina truckers have prospects of scoring heavily this season on lettuce and strawberries. Mr. Z. W. Whitehead, editor of The Carolina Fruit Growers and Truckers' Journal, told The Star last night that the field lettuce crop all over this territory was the largest and the finest in quality that he has ever seen.

In addition to this home condition, the situation in Florida will help, for the truckers have suffered losses there on account of frost. The quality has been poor, and while quantities of Florida lettuce on the market have beaten the price down, the appearance of nice head lettuce, such as has not been shipped from Florida, is expected to boost the market. Another item to be considered in connection with the encouraging prospects of truckers in this section is the shortage of the crop around Beaufort, S. C. While by no means a failure, the crop, acreage considered, has fallen far short of expectations.

The movement of bed lettuce is now on, but as compared with the shipments of field lettuce, this is light. The big movement will begin in a week or ten days. By April 1st car lots will be moving northward. A number of buyers have arrived in the city already.

Mr. Whitehead stated to The Star that the strawberry outlook was very good indeed. Cold snaps and frosts have operated to check the early blooming, so that the vines will be stronger and will stand up better, while the berries will be of finer size and quality and will carry better. This movement will begin by April 10th. A few quarts have been shipped from Rocky Point and perhaps other points, but shipments so far are inconsequential.

With good crops of lettuce and berries both in point of volume and point of quality, and with fair prices ruling, the truckers will draw many a good dollar into Eastern Carolina this Spring.

It may be noted that it is reported that 5,000 barrels of seed Irish potatoes have been planted around Mt. Olive this season.

BIBLE LECTURE LAST NIGHT.

Mr. Chafer Heard by Large Congregation at St. Andrew's.

Continuing the studies in the Gospel of Matthew, Rev. Lewis S. Chafer took for his theme last night the return of Christ as set forth in the 24th chapter. In this address he stated:

"The passages that predict a return of Christ are in two classes: He either is seen coming into the air to receive the saved ones who are caught up to meet Him, or He is seen coming in great power and glory to take a throne upon the earth and to renovate and rule the earth in perfect righteousness. There is always something 'at hand' in the movements of God. Until the Jews rejected their Kingdom, it was said to be 'at hand.' Then the return of Christ was said to be 'at hand', at an unknown hour. It is the first aspect of His return (1 Thes. 5: 13-18), when He gathers His saved ones to Himself, that is 'at hand,' and for which we are to 'wait,' 'watch' and 'be ready.' Many events are clearly said to precede the final glorious coming. (2 Thes. 2:1-10). That final appearing is seen in Rev. 19:11 to 20:15."

"It is generally held, from Daniel's prophecy that the time between these two aspects will be seven years and 'shortened' according to the words of Christ, and that period will be a final testing of the earth in tribulation.

"It does not fully meet the claims of the Bible to claim that the return of Christ is fulfilled in the death of a saint, the conversion of a soul, or the day of Pentecost; yet these claims have sometimes been made. There is a vast body of Scripture in both the Old and New Testaments upon this theme and it is the very centre of all constructive Bible truth. The passages are clear and their meaning is evident. It is sad that this truth is so misunderstood and perverted. It is as great a mistake to say 'My Lord delayeth His coming' as to fix a date for that coming."

In reading the 24th of Matthew, Mr. Chafer pointed out the meaning of the various sections of that great chapter and closed by some references to the present fulfillment of prophecy in the world today.

The subject tonight will be "The Ten Virgins," or "The Evidences of a True Christian Life."

INCREASE IN EQUIPMENT

New Cars of Tidewater Power Company's Beach Line

Three new 50-foot passenger cars, with a capacity of 68 people, are being constructed in the shops of the Tidewater Power Company, for the line to Wrightsville Beach. This is in expectation of handling more passengers the coming season than ever before, and the indications are that there will be more people visiting the beach during the Summer than in any season of the beach's history. The company is also improving its tracks and getting everything in readiness for the Summer's big business. At the beach improvements are being made at Lumina and throughout the town, quite a number of new cottages being planned. The city is looking hard at June 1st.

Negro Girl Badly Burned.

Yesterday morning Sadie Brown, a 10-year-old daughter of Tom Brown, colored, 1118 Orange street, suffered very bad burns on her body, one arm and both legs, and was taken to the James Walker Memorial Hospital for treatment. It was stated last night that she was in a very bad way but the physician did not wish to say that she would not recover. It is not known how the accident occurred, as she was alone. Her father found her on his return to the home.

Baseball.
Shoes at Peterson & Rulfs.
(Advertisement.)

BALTO-PHILA GAME TOMORROW

Two Big League Teams Will Give Wilmington Fans Exhibition of Real Baseball at League Park—Interest Keen

Play ball!

Tomorrow at 3:15 P. M., Wilmington fans will have the privilege of seeing a ball game between the big leaguers of Philadelphia and Baltimore; and from the buzz of talk all around the city, there will be a record crowd at League Park, which has been put in fine condition throughout.

The two teams will arrive in the morning at 10:15 from Fayetteville. They will be met by the Mayor, a committee from the Chamber of Commerce and from the Elks' lodge, and in 14 automobiles will be whirled over the city. Returning, they will be taken to the Elks' Home, South Front street, where open house will be kept in their honor.

After the game tomorrow evening, the Elks will be hosts to the visitors at a genuine old North Carolina barbecue at the Home, and the Mayor, members of Council and the committee from the Chamber of Commerce will have a special invitation to attend. Wilmington will not leave anything undone to make the visit of the teams pleasant. Today at noon, in Wilder & Metts' office, the chairman of the Elks' committee and the Chamber of Commerce committee will wind up the details.

An incident of the day will be arrangements with the Capitol Moving Picture Company for moving pictures of the teams arriving, of the game, the crowds in the grandstand, etc. These views, with others, exhibited North, are expected to assist materially in getting a training camp established at this place.

A number of business houses will close tomorrow from 2 to 5 o'clock, and it is even suggested that a half holiday would be in order, so that all who may wish to, may attend the game.

The line-up of the leaguers will be as follows:

Philadelphia	Position	Baltimore
Paskert	CF	Cooper
Magee	LF	Lord
Dodge or Walsh	SS	Maisel
Luderes	1B	Houser
Knabe	2B	Parent
Lobert	3B	Citrano
Cravath	RF	Twombley
Dooin	C	Bergen
Killifer	C	Ledgate
Moore	P	Shawky
Chalmers	P	Danfort
Brennan	P	Roth
Seaton	P	

ROAD WORK IN COUNTY.

Will Begin Soon to Construct Approach to Castle Haynes Bridge.

Yesterday afternoon Chairman M. S. Willard and Col. John VanB. Metts, of the Board of County Commissioners, and Mr. R. A. Burnett, county superintendent of roads, visited the bridge that is nearing completion over the Northeast river at Castle Haynes and inspected the several routes proposed for the approach to the structure from the New Hanover side. No decision was reached, but the route will likely be selected within the next week, as work on the approach is to begin shortly. Chairman Willard said last night that work on the Federal Point road would be completed by Saturday night and the teams now engaged on this thoroughfare will then be taken to Castle Haynes. The convict cage which has been used at Wrightsville Sound will be moved today to Castle Haynes. It is the purpose of the Commissioners to take the 20 convicts now engaged on the turnpike and use them on the approach to the Castle Haynes bridge. The force now at work on the Federal Point road will be kept where they are and will be put to work improving the mile and a half sand-clay road near the Horne place. The work of building the approach to the Castle Haynes bridge will likely be begun early next week and it is thought will be completed in about a month.

ARRESTED AFTER FOUR YEARS.

John Jackson, Colored, Charged With Criminal Assault.

More than four years after the alleged crime took place, John Jackson, colored, was arrested yesterday on a charge of criminal assault on Lillian Wright, a young negro woman. Sheriff Cowan, Deputies Kelly and Reynolds and Constable Davis affected the capture.

These officers found out two months ago that Jackson had returned to the city after about four years' absence, and they planned to get him, but he got wind of it and left. A few days ago they discovered that he had come back to the city and yesterday located him at the cottonseed oil mill, where he was arrested. He was placed in jail and will get a preliminary hearing today or tomorrow. The warrant for his arrest was sworn out by the negro girl.

FRAIL, SICKLY CHILD

Restored to Health by Vinol—A Letter to Mothers

Anxious mothers often wonder why their children are so pale, thin and nervous and have so little appetite. For the benefit of such mothers in this vicinity we publish the following letter.

J. Edmund Miller, New Haven, Conn., says: "My little daughter ever since her birth had been frail and sickly, and was a constant source of worriment. Several months ago we commenced to give her Vinol. I immediately noted an improvement in her health and appearance, and from the good it has done her I can truly say it will do all you claim."

This child's recovery was due to the combined action of the medicinal elements extracted from cods' livers, —combined with the blood-making and strength-creating properties of tonic iron, which are contained in Vinol.

Vinol will build up and strengthen delicate children, old people and the weak, run-down and debilitated. We return the money in every case where it fails.—Robert R. Bellamy, druggist, Wilmington, N. C.

(Advertisement.)

CITY'S NAVAL STORES MARKET

Dissolution of American Naval Stores Co., May Mean Partial Restoration of City's Prestige as Center for Products.

Wilmington business men found much to interest them in the Associated Press dispatch from Savannah in yesterday morning's Star, carrying the announcement of the American Naval Stores Company that it had suspended business because the persistent suits against it by the government had seriously impaired its credit, although its assets are placed at over four million dollars above its liabilities.

One business man of the city surmised that if the suit argued yesterday before the Supreme Court resulted in an affirmation of the verdict of the lower courts; and if the civil suit, pending in Atlanta, for the dissolution of the company, were won by the government, the result might be that Wilmington would regain some of its old-time prestige as a center for naval stores. The American Naval Stores Company has centered the naval stores business at Savannah, and since its formation Wilmington has gradually ceased to be a market of importance. The company established a branch here, and this is under the management of Mr. F. A. Thompson, with offices in the Southern Building.

Yesterday when a Star man called on him to ascertain what effect the suspension of business at Savannah would have on the branch office, Mr. Thompson declared that all he knew was contained in the newspaper reports; but he thought that perhaps the trouble would be of only a temporary nature and that business would be adjusted and carried on as before. This idea is given weight because of the enormous assets of the company as compared with its liabilities. In fact, as stated, no question of solvency enters into the situation. The company merely claims that it is unable to secure financial assistance in operating because the attacks of the government has impaired its credit. All banks carrying the company's paper, it is stated, have very ample collateral.

Mr. Thompson said that the branch here employs a dozen men in the yards and five in the office, or about 17 in all. It is not now buying or shipping any products, and is at a standstill, it is presumed, until the parent office opens up again.

It is suggested that if a dissolution takes place, local capital will enter the field and win back to Wilmington its importance as a naval stores market and shipping point, and with this idea in mind, the situation as regards the Supreme Court and the company becomes all the more interesting and the outcome will be watched closely.

There are two cases pending, the one which was argued yesterday before the Supreme Court, in which two of the officers were convicted and sentenced to six months in jail and fined $5,000 for alleged violation of the anti-trust law; and the other, a civil case, which will be heard by Judge Hardee in Atlanta. In this the government seeks to dissolve the alleged trust.

HARBOR AND RIVER WORK

About $2,000,000 for Eastern Carolina Improvements Is Available

Through the energetic efforts of North Carolina's representatives in the House and Senate at Washington, something like $2,000,000 has been provided for waterways improvements in Eastern Carolina, the disbursement of which will be made by Maj. H. W. Stickle, United States army engineer of this district. Among the items in the rivers and harbors bill is $352,940 for improving the lower Cape Fear river; $5,000 for the harbor at Beaufort, and $10,000 for Beaufort inlet; $500,000 for the harbor of refuge at Lookout; $1,000 for Bay river; $1,500 for Fishing creek; $12,000 for the Neuse and Trent rivers; $5,000 for New river; $12,000 for Northeast, Black and Cape Fear rivers; $9,845 for Shallotte river; $6,092.20 for South river; $500 for Swift creek, and $20,000 for the waterways at Core sound. The upper Cape Fear appropriation, which is to be $315,000, has not been provided as yet, but, of course, will be at no distant time.

NEW GOODS AT MILLER'S

Rapidly Assembling Complete New Line of Ladies' Wear

In a large advertisement carried in The Star Sunday for "Miller's Everywoman's Store," a line read "First Expose of Eastern Arrivals." This, of course, should have read "Easter Arrivals," of which this store is daily receiving large shipments from the big fashion centers.

While Miller's will have on display all this week a complete line of the latest creations of Paris and American shops, they will be much better prepared to display their extensive line after April 1st when they will be located in their large store at Front and Princess streets, now occupied by Shrier & Solomon. The ladies are cordially invited to visit their temporary stand at 109 South Front street and inspect their showing, and will be cordially welcomed whether they intend making purchases or not.

NEW CHALMERS COMING

Announcement of 1913 Models—Wilmington Agency, Etc.

Elsewhere in today's paper is carried the announcement of the 1913 line of Chalmers motor cars, the local agency having recently been placed with the Pickard-Bleecker Automobile Co., on North Third street. The Chalmers has long been a favorite in Wilmington and this year presents an attractive line in all the leading models. Mr. Conway Thompson, of Columbia, S. C., one of the Chalmers sales managers, is in Wilmington, awaiting the arrival of the first shipment of the famous Chalmers line, which is expected today or tomorrow. Mr. Thompson or members of the Pickard-Bleecker Company will be glad to show and demonstrate the cars upon arrival.

Baseball.
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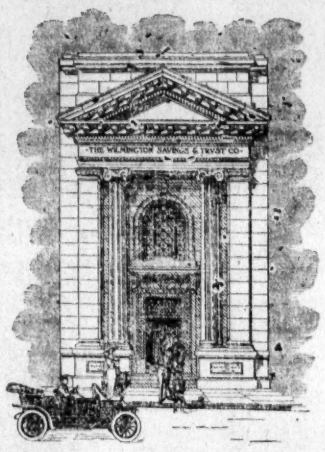

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DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD.

Increased Number of Papers Conveying Real Estate Holdings.

Following are the deeds filed yesterday for record:

W. J. Mallard and wife to J. J. Craig and others, for $10 and other considerations, lot on northeast corner of Sixth and Queen streets, 33x66 feet in size.

The Joulyn Co., to Roland A. Wright and wife, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on southeast corner Ninth and Castle streets, 70x89 feet.

R. F. Gore and wife to E. F. Barlow, for $2,000 lot in East Wilmington on the northeast corner of Pauline avenue and the Market street road, containing about two acres.

Southeastern Realty Co., to Caroline W. VanBuren, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on northwest corner of 16th and Chesnut streets, 55x160 feet in size.

D. F. Klein and wife to C. C. Chadbourn, for $10 and other considerations, lot on east side 10th street, 66 feet north of Chesnut, 66x82 1-2 feet in size.

C. C. Loughlin to D. R. Foster, for $15 and other considerations, lot 55 in Fernside.

Roy Fergus and wife to D. R. Foster, trustee, for $10 and other considerations, lot on south side Bladen street, 159 feet east of Eighth, 31x66 feet in size.

A. H. Hunt and wife to W. M. Sidbury, and others, for $10 and other considerations, one-fourth acre for Enoch's Baptist church, colored, adjoining lands of A. H. Hunt, on the old Newbern road, and adjoining present church site.

S. A. Schloss and others to J. Irving Bear, for $100 and other considerations, lot 68, Wrightsville Beach, 50x500.2 feet in size. S. A. Schloss and others to Frederick D. Bear, for $100 and other considerations, lot 67, Wrightsville Beach, 50x486.2 feet in size.

Wilmington Suburban Co., to J. F. Zellers and wife, for $400, lot on west side of Fourth street, 66 feet north of Marsteller, 33x150 feet in size.

Building Permits Issued.

The following building permits have been issued: Clark-Lynch Lumber Co., planing mill on Marstellar street, between 11th and 12th, estimated cost $800; L. Hansen, four-room dwelling on Surry street, between Dock and Wright, cost $550; C. C. Chadbourn, Castle street, between 12th and 13th, dwelling to cost $750; I. Shain, dwelling on 11th street, between Orange and Ann, cost $650.

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Nowadays skilled chemists do this better than ourselves. By asking at any drug store for the ready-to-use product—called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy"—you will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Some druggists make their own, but it's usually too sticky, so insist upon getting "Wyeth's" which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is the best remedy for dandruff, dry, feverish, itchy scalp and to stop falling hair.

Folks like "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur" because no one can positively tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly, says a well known downtown druggist. You dampen a sponge or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This requires but a few moments, by morning the gray hair disappears and after another application or two is restored to its natural color and looks even more beautiful and glossy than ever.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. W. L. King has returned from Washington, D. C., after a visit of some time.

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Mrs. Ada R. Gillespie, of Pittsburg, Pa., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chas. N. Evans.

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Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C., will hold its regular monthly meeting at the W. L. I. armory at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. James A. Drew, of Southport, have returned home after a week's visit to their daughter, Mrs. J. Davis Robbins, Jr., No. 218 North Second street.

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Mrs. M. F. Bretzfeller and child, of Norfolk, Va., have arrived to spend several weeks with Mrs. Bretzfeller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I Shrier.

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Mr. E. L. Best returned yesterday to Fremont after visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Davis Robbins, Jr., Sunday and Monday at their home, No. 218 North Second street.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Music Department of North Carolina Sorosis will not be held this afternoon, but has been postponed until next Wednesday afternoon, March 26th.

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The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church cordially invite all the women and girls of the church to be present this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the church parlors where Livingston Centenary exercises will be held. An attractive programme has been arranged. A map of the Congo country, together with mottoes of the great African explorer, will be exhibited.

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Attractive cards just received by friends of the groom in this city bear the following interesting announcement:

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Gardner
announce the marriage of their
daughter
Celestine Dee
to
Mr. Frederic Courtland Hack
on Tuesday, March the fourth
nineteen hundred and thirteen
Denver, Colorado

Mr. Hack was formerly in the general offices of the Atlantic Coast Line in Wilmington and numbers his friends here by the score.

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Many friends of the prospective groom in Wilmington will read with interest and pleasure the announcement contained in invitations received during the past week, as follows:

Mrs. Edward R. Hulbert
announces the marriage of her
daughter
Helen Constance Merrill
to
Mr. Joseph Cain deHay
on Saturday, the fifteenth of March
nineteen hundred and thirteen
Jacksonville, Florida
At Home
after the first of April
Waycross, Georgia.

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The following from the society column of the Atlanta Georgian will be read with much interest in this city: "The marriage of Miss Sarah Jackson, of Charleston, and Mr. Walter Storm, of Wilmington, N. C., will be a brilliant event of April, the nuptials to be celebrated in Charleston on the evening of April 16th. The wedding will take place at church, and a large number of guests will then be entertained at a reception. Mrs. Forrest Adair, Jr., leaves March 21st for Charleston to be the house guest of Miss Jackson until after her wedding. She will attend the series of pre-nuptial parties to be tendered the bride-elect and will act as matron of honor at the wedding. Miss Margaret Haverty will also attend the wedding, and will be one of the bridesmaids. Miss Jackson has been a frequent visitor here as Mrs. Adair's guest. She was maid of honor at the brilliant Dodd-Adair wedding a season or so ago."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—It is a pleasure for the many Wilmington friends of Mr. Thomas A. Darby to again welcome him on a visit to the city. He is a guest of his son, Mr. James J. Darby, and is being most pleasantly greeted by many former acquaintances in Wilmington.

—Friends will regret to learn that the condition of Mr. J. C. Munds, who was stricken last week with a cerebral hemorrhage, was reported last night as being a little worse than on the preceding day. He appears to be gradually sinking and little or no hope is entertained for his recovery.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were R. S. Bond, Rowland; W. H. Johnson, Winston-Salem; R. M. Vanstory, Chas. Haigh, Jr., M. N. Rayner, Fayetteville; E. A. Hawes, Jr., Atkinson; J. F. Woodward, Warsaw; W. H. Newell, Rocky Mount; E. P. Laird, Rocky Mount; B. M. Brothers, Charlotte; Mrs. R. C. Lawrence, Lumberton; Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Whitaker, Whiteville; N. E. Sproul, Rocky Mount.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Southern were T. N. Ballew, Dallas, Texas; J. J. Bowman, Rochester, N. Y.; L. R. Batson, Vesta; F. D. Howard, G. W. Barnes, Waycross, Ga.; J. E. Thompson, Fairmont; C. L. Foy, Dixon; John Johnson, Roanoke, Va.; J. L. Hatchell, Danville, Va.; F. P. White, Shallotte; J. W. Conning, Dillon, S. C.; W. M. Hardison, Holly Ridge; A. V. Cline, Greensboro; E. L. Howard, Sanford; C. C. Barnes, Savannah, Ga.; W. L. Swain, Shallotte; J. C. Applewhite, Currie.

Embezzlement Charged

Edward Nixon, colored, was arrested by Constable Davis yesterday on a charge of embezzlement preferred by Lodge No. 30, Independent Order of Good Samaritans, a colored fraternal organization, of which Nixon was financial secretary. The warrant alleges that he misappropriated the sum of $120 on or about April 1st, 1912. He claims that there was a shortage connected with some building and loan transaction. Mr. H. L. Vollers went surety for his appearance before Justice McGowan, today at 1 o'clock, in the sum of $200.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The German steamer Providentia, Capt. Scharscish, arrived yesterday from Antwerp with cargo of fertilizer materials which will be discharged at the Seaboard Air Line terminals, the vessel coming to Mr. Henry Whyte.

—The docket in the Recorder's court yesterday was quite brief. There was a lone drunk. Alex Nash, colored, charged with stealing a box of cigars from the store of Mr. H. L. Vollers, will be tried today, postponement being secured yesterday.

—A compromise was effected yesterday between the A. C. L. and Clayton Grant, Esq., attorney for Lula Batts, by her next friend, A. G. Batts, colored, in a suit for damages for injuries sustained in being thrown from a train at Edgecombe February 9, 1912.

—The regular monthly meeting of the City Board of Health, scheduled for yesterday afternoon, was not held on account of the lack of a quorum. At its meeting this morning the City Council may elect a successor to the late Mr. B. O. Stone as a member of the Board of Health.

—Mr. S. Schlossberg, who has been engaged in the mercantile business at Warsaw and Kinston for the past 10 or 15 years, has removed to Wilmington, opening a general store on North Fourth street. Mr. Schlossberg is a successful and prosperous merchant and is quite an addition to the business life of the city.

—Once again Nelson Jenkins, called "Liver Lip" because of a protruding lower lip of unusual size and thickness, is in the toils, this time on a charge of selling whiskey. He will be tried this morning in the Recorder's court. It has only been a short time since the darkey completed his last sentence on the roads.

—Before Justice McGowan yesterday was Mary Fulwood on a charge of abduction made by Ouida Dicks, of Sumter, S. C., it being alleged that the defendant took two small sons of the prosecuting witness from their home in South Carolina and brought them here. In court the defendant and her sister readily surrendered the boys, saying their father gave them to the sister and asked her to bring them here. The statement was made that the parents of the boys do not live together.

DEATH OF MR. MUNFORD HOLMES

Well Known Young Man Dies in Atlanta—Remains Here Today.

Mr. Munford McNeill Holmes, a young man well known to many people of this city, died in Atlanta early yesterday morning. His brother, Mr. G. E. Holmes, of Wilmington, was with him, and wired the sad news to his family here. The remains will be brought here today at noon over the Seaboard Air Line. Funeral arrangements have not been made, but the interment will be at this place. Mr. Holmes was 28 years old and unmarried. He had been in Atlanta for the past three years. While living here he was very popular with many friends and was an active and loyal member of Brooklyn Baptist church. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. J. D. Smith, of Parkersburg; and two brothers, Mr. G. E. Holmes, of Wilmington, and Mr. H. F. Jones, of Portsmouth, Va. These have the deep sympathy of many friends in their sad bereavement.

Carnival Here in April

The Cape Fear Independent Band yesterday closed a contract with the Johnny J. Jones Exposition Shows to exhibit here the week beginning April 7th. The carnival will be held at Fourth and Castle streets. There are 16 different shows and all are said to be high-class attractions. The free attractions include the "loop the loop within a loop," which will be given twice daily, and a high-diving act. There are three bands with the exposition.

IT SAVES YOU MONEY.

Dr. Howard's Dyspepsia Spesific; Regular Price 50c. J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.'s Price 25c.

The special half price sale of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia by the J. Hicks Brunting Drug Co., means the saving of a few dollars on every family's yearly bill for medicines.

Each 50 cent bottle (Mr. J. Hicks Bunting sells it for 25c) contains sixty doses of a medicine that is pleasant to take and which can be depended upon to cure the worst case of constipation, dyspepsia or liver trouble.

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(Advertisement.)

IN MEMORIAM.

Martha Groff, beloved wife of Mitchell F. Allen, died at 5:00 P. M. Tuesday, February 25, 1913.

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to take from among us our sister and co-laborer, therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the death of our sister this church and the Lydia Yates Bible Class lose a faithful and devoted member.

That her place of usefulness will be hard to fill and while we shall miss her sadly, we feel our loss is her eternal gain.

That her patience and cheerfulness shown throughout her suffering and her perfect resignation to the will of od may be an example to us; that we may so live that we will meet her in that upper and better world;

That we extend to her bereaved husband and other loved ones our sympathy, and pray that God will abundantly bless and comfort them;

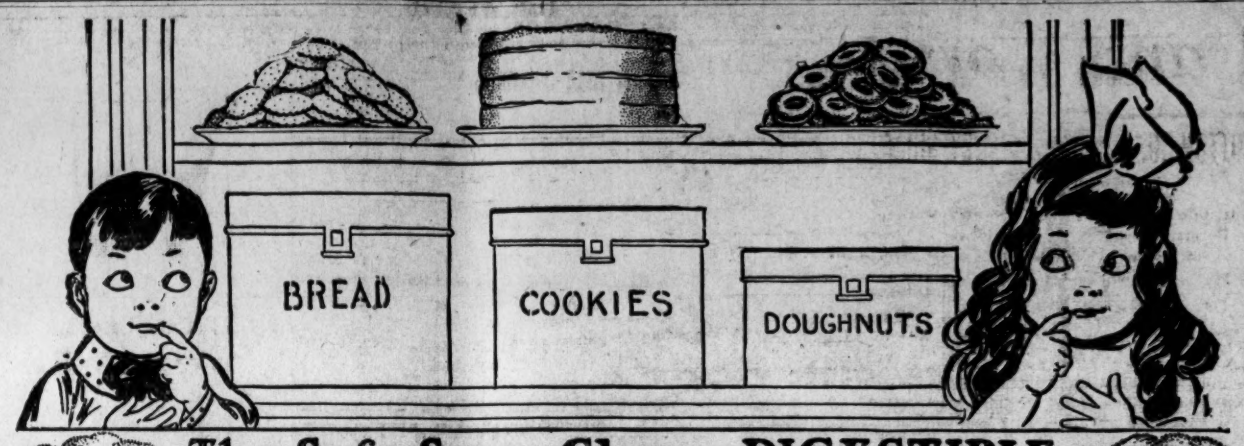
That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, and a copy placed upon the minutes of the Sunday School.

MRS. W. C. CRAFT,
Chairman.
MRS. B. A. ROBINSON,
MISS JENNIE CORBETT,
Committee.

DIED.

RUSSELL—At her home at Belleville, Brunswick county, at 6 P. M. Tuesday, March 18th, MRS. SARAH AMANDA RUSSELL, widow of Hon. Daniel L. Russell, aged 69 years.

Funeral from the late residence at 12 o'clock Thursday; interment in family burying ground at Maysville, Onslow county, Friday at 11 o'clock, friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.



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COTTOLENE DOUGHNUTS

Cream three tablespoons *Cottolene*, add scant cup of sugar, 3 yolks of eggs well beaten with one white, stir in one cupful of freshly mashed potatoes and ¼ cup of milk. Sift 2½ cups flour with 3 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon each of salt and ground mace, also a little nutmeg, and add to first mixture, working in additional flour as necessary to handle lightly. Roll and cut all doughnuts before frying. Fry in hot *Cottolene* 3 inches deep in kettle, testing the temperature with piece of bread.

PYTHIAN RALLIES

Meetings Will Be Held at Asheville and Salisbury This Week

Capt. Thos. D. Meares, Supreme Master of Exchequer, Knights of Pythias, expects to leave this afternoon for Asheville, where tomorrow night he will attend a big Pythian rally. On Friday night he will attend a similar rally at Salisbury. Col. Walker Taylor, Grand Chancellor, expected to attend the rallies, but is detained here on account of some business matters. Mr. J. D. Nutt, Deputy Grand Chancellor, is already in the western part of the State and will attend both meetings. Among the visitors who will attend the rallies are Mr. Thos. C. Carling, of Macon, Ga., Supreme Chancellor, and Mr. Fred E. Wheaton, of Minneapolis, Minn., Supreme Keeper of Records and Seal. Mr. Wheaton will bring with him the famous Rathbone Bible, which will be used in giving the obligation to the large number of candidates that will be initiated at each meeting.

Death of An Infant

Their friends will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hollis, 712 North Fourth street, in the death of their infant daughter, which occurred yesterday morning about 6 o'clock.

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Their Infant Burned.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Anderson, who recently removed from Wilmington to Leland, Brunswick county, will regret exceedingly to know of a very painful accident that befel their little daughter, Katherine, aged nine months, who toppled from her chair a few days ago into the fire. The little one was severely burned and the parents hastened with her to Harper's Sanitarium, in this city, where the little girl is receiving the best of attention.

Baseball.
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(Advertisement.)

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I believe in city employes in all departments making a living wage, but believe that as much service should be demanded for the pay received as in any other line of endeavor; that needless offices should be abolished; that the greatest care should be exercised in the awarding of contracts and that a determined effort be made to keep the city expenses inside of the city's income. In other words, I see no reason why city affairs should not be conducted on the same principle as some great industrial plant, and the same degree of care exercised in its management. I believe in progressiveness, but progressiveness along business lines, and with ever an eye to the general welfare of all the people.

The task that confronts the next Mayor of Wilmington will be a most difficult one, for the city finances are in a condition that will require the greatest care to work out some course that will in no way retard public improvements and at the same time keep down an excessive tax rate. If elected to the office of Mayor, the people of Wilmington may feel assured that every economy will be observed consistent with progress. Twice have I been Mayor of Wilmington, and I point to my record during those four years as evidence of my fitness for the office.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM E. SPRINGER.
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ANNOUNCEMENT

Subject to the will of the people, as expressed in the forthcoming Democratic primary, I announce myself a candidate for the office of Councilman of the Third Ward, City of Wilmington, N. C., and will appreciate the support of my friends and the public.

B. A. MERRITT.
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120 N. Water Street, Wilmington, North Carolina.

Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET STILL QUIET

Fluctuations Were Within a Range of 7 to 8 Points—Close Was Quiet, Net Unchanged to Three Points Lower.

New York, March 18.—The cotton market was comparatively quiet today and fluctuations were within a range of 7 or 8 points, with the close quiet, net unchanged to 3 points lower. The market opened barely steady at a decline of 1 to 7 points and sold off another point or two during the early trading under scattering liquidation inspired by reports of generally clear and warmer weather in the South, nad some little disappointment over the showing of Liverpool, which fully responded to yesterday's local setback. The census report on supply and distribution was given a bearish construction by some, who emphasized the large domestic mill stocks, amounting to 1,957,000 on March 1st, or equal to a little over four months requirements and may possibly have encouraged some of the early selling.

On the other hand, the report showed a continuance of record-breaking consumption and on the whole seemed to be considered about a standoff, while the market soon steadied up from the opening decline on foreign buying, covering and scattering support from some of the local spot houses. Reports of an export demand in the Memphis market probably helped the rally, which carried prices back to practically the closing figures of last night, while there was also some buying on private predictions of renewed rains in the belt within the next 36 hours. The close was a shade off from the best, on most months, but the market showed a fairly steady undertone in the late trading, although reports were received from New Orleans that interior offerings were on a slightly easier basis. Domestic mill consumption of 466,000 bales for the month of February brought the total consumption for the first six months of the season up to about 2,867,000 bales, or at the rate of approximately 5,730,000 bales per year. Bullish traders calculated that if consumption remained at this rate, domestic mills must take well over 1,500,000 bales more to maintain a stock of 750,000 bales, at the end of the current season.

Spot cotton, quiet. Middling uplands, 12.60. Sales, none.

Futures closed quiet.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	11.30	11.36	11.30	11.36
Mar	12.26	12.27	12.22	12.25
Apr	.....	.....	.....	12.04
May	11.91	11.93	11.86	11.90
June	11.84	11.85	11.85	11.86
July	11.81	11.86	11.77	11.84
Aug	11.68	11.73	11.68	11.73
Sept	11.40	11.44	11.44	11.43
Oct	11.34	11.39	11.34	11.38
Nov	11.36	.....	.....	11.36
Dec	11.35	11.41	11.35	11.40

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 12⅝; net receipts, 11,443; gross receipts, 11,443; stock, 247,143.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12½; net receipts, 3,295; gross receipts, 3,298; sales, 950; stock, 103,287; Great Britain, 7,800.

Mobile—Quiet, 12 3-16; net receipts, 100; gross receipts, 100; sales, 50; stock, 18,771.

Savannah—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 1,044; gross receipts, 1,044; sales, 1,119; stock, 87,944; constwise, 2,043.

Charleston—Firm, 12¼; net receipts, 65; gross receipts, 65; sales, 400; stock, 26,887; constwise, 263.

Wilmington—Quiet, 12¼; net receipts, 359; gross receipts, 359; stock, 24,443.

Norfolk—Steady, 12 5-16; net receipts, 770; gross receipts, 770; sales, 126; stock, 60,973; constwise, 1,050.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12¾; gross receipts, 200; stock, 7,654.

New York—Quiet, 12.60; net receipts, 100; gross receipts, 4,824; stock, 117,130; constwise, 5,982.

Boston—Quiet, 12.60; net receipts, 80; gross receipts, 2,701; stock, 17,658; Great Britain, 100; continent, 200.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.85; stock, 2,164.

Texas City—Net receipts, 628; gross receipts, 628; stock, 23,369.

Brunswick—Stock, 7,660.

Jacksonville—Stock, 1,710.

Aransas Pass—Stock, 351.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 17,892; Great Britain, 7,900; continent, 200; stock, 747,144.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 42,356; Great Britain, 14,618; continent, 12,677.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,634,627; Great Britain, 2,048,925; France, 909,737; continent, 2,764,961; Japan, 242,210; Mexico, 4,880.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 12⅛; net receipts, 7,161; gross receipts, 7,161; shipments, 7,969; sales, 543; stock, 129,128.

Augusta—Steady, 12½; net receipts, 135; gross receipts, 135; shipments, 250; sales, 379; stock, 74,563.

Memphis—Steady, 12⅝; net receipts, 591; gross receipts, 1,728; shipments, 3,604; sales, 2,100; stock, 142,459.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12½; net receipts, 76; gross receipts, 2,248; shipments, 2,241; stock, 30,110.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 500; gross receipts, 500; shipments, 332; stock, 26,011.

Little Rock—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 428; gross receipts, 428; shipments, 77; stock, 33,351.

Greenville, S. C.—Quiet, 12¼.

Total today—Net receipts, 8,981; gross receipts, 12,290; shipments, 14,473; sales, 3,022; stock, 435,622.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, March 18.—Spot cotton, easier. American middling fair, 7.43; good middling, 7.09; middling, 6.87; low middling, 6.69; good ordinary, 6.35; ordinary, 6.01. Sales, 7,000 bales, including 500 for speculation and export, and 6,600 American. Receipts, 12,000 bales, including 11,900 American.

Futures opened steady and closed very steady. March, 6.61½; March and April, 6.59½; April and May, 6.58¾; May and June, 6.57½; June and July, 6.54½; July and August, 6.50; August and September, 6.38½; September and October, 6.18; October and November, 6.15; November and December, 6.12; December and January, 6.11; January and February, 6.10.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, March 18.—Money on call, steady, at 3¾@4 per cent.; ruling rate, 4%; closing bid, 4; offered at 4¼. Time loans, easier, 5¾@6 per cent.; six months, 5½@5¾. Prime mercantile paper, 5¾@6 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.85 for sixty-day bills and at 4.8720 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.82½. Bar silver, 53¾; Mexican dollars, 47½. Government bonds, steady; Railroad bonds, irregular.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, March 18.—Turpentine, easy; machine barrels, 40.

Rosin—Easy.

Savannah, March 18.—Turpentine, weak, 36¾; sales, 117; receipts, 49; shipments, 118; stocks, 14,715.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 115; receipts, 538; shipments, 791; stocks, 107,294. Quote: A, B, C, D, E, 4.90; F, 5.00; G, 5.10; H, 5.15; I, 5.20; K, 5.25; M, 6.50; N, 6.75@6.90; W G, 7.00; W W, 7.40.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, March 18.—Cotton goods markets were very quiet during the day. Jobbers are doing a light trade. Yarns rule barely steady. New lines of men's wear for Fall are being shown.

To Relieve the Pain of a Burn Instantly,

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COTTON CONSUMPTION REPORT

Cotton Consumed in the United States During February Amounted to 466,933 Bales—Comparison With Other Years.

Washington, March 18.—Cotton consumed in the United States during February amounted to 466,933 running bales, including 23,091 bales of linters, compared with 533,251 bales in January and 455,287 bales in December, the Census Bureau announced this morning.

Imports were 34,040, equivalent to 500 pound bales, compared with 52,253 bales in January, and 25,075 bales in December. Exports were 530,911 running bales, compared with 900,844 bales in January and 1,391,385 bales in December. Active spindles numbered 30,518,619, compared with 30,335,563 in January, and 30,146,756 in December. Of these 11,739,986 were in cotton growing States and 18,778,634 in all other States.

Cotton on hand February 28th was 4,209,569 bales, including 120,650 bales of linters, compared with 4,580,228 bales January 31st, and 4,905,035 bales December 31st. This was distributed as follows:

In manufacturing establishments 1,957,548 bales, including 87,370 bales of linters, compared with 1,911,157 bales January 31st and 1,704,420 bales December 31st; in independent warehouses, 2,252,011 bales, including 33,280 bales of linters, compared with 2,669,079 bales January 31, and 3,200,615 bales December 31st.

Consumption and cotton on hand, February 28th, was distributed as follows:

In cotton growing States, 236,711 bales were consumed in February; 873,462 bales were in manufacturing establishments February 28th, and 2,047,021 bales in independent warehouses.

In all other States, 231,222 bales were consumed, 1,084,086 bales were in manufacturing establishments, and 204,990 bales were in independent warehouses.

Of the imports, 29,899 bales came from Egypt; 1,367 bales from Peru; 2,457 bales from China, and 317 bales from all other countries.

Of the exports, 166,726 bales went to the United Kingdom; 159,817 bales to Germany; 26,901 bales to France; 47,450 bales to Italy and 129,927 bales to all other countries.

MARINE.

Arrived

Str. Navahoe, 1,728 tons, Packer, New York, C. J. Becker.

Str. Providentia (Ger.), 1,904 tons, Scharschish, Antwerp, Henry Whyte.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Core, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. W. Brooks.

Cleared.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Core, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. W. Brooks.

Str. Navahoe, 1,278 tons, Packer, Georgetown, C. J. Becker.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Providentia (Ger.), 1,904 tons, Scharschish, Henry Whyte.

Str. Callisto (Dutch), 2,284 tons, Wiebes, Heide & Co.

Str. Vermont (Br.), 2,723 tons, Laurie, Heide & Co.

Str. Dorisbrook (Br.), 1,814 tons, Bannister Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Schr. Stephen G. Loud, 495 tons, Graham, Maffitt & Wood.

Barges.

Barge J. T. Hooper, 697 tons, Dewitt, Maffitt & Wood.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, March 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Firm, $2.20.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm; $3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.00 per barrel for dip; $4.00 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 47¾; rosin, 5.90; tar, 1.90; crude turpentine, 3.50 per barrel for hard; 4.50 for dip; 4.50 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	(—)
Rosin	(—)
Tar	16
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year, 114 barrels tar.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 12¼.

Same day last year, 10 5-16.

Receipts, 350; same day last year, 1,927 bales.

Total receipts since Sept. 1st, 318,789 bales.

Total receipts same time last year, 466,661 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, March 18.)

CORN—Firm, 75c. per bu.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to 90c. per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 65c. to 80c.

PEAS—Dull. White, $2.50; cow peas, $1.50 to $1.00 per bu.

BEEF—Dressed, 8c.

PORK—9 to 11c.

WOOL—Burry, 10 to 14c. per lb.; free of burr, 20c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 11c. per lb.; dry, 13@ to 13c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 16 to 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12½c to 13c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 45c.; Spring chickens, 18@35c. per head. Turkeys, on foot, dull, 15c.; dressed, 20c.

EGGS—Very dull, 18c. to 19c.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, March 17.

Market—Steady.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock prime hand-picked, 75c.; machine picked, 70c.

Spanish—Prime hand-picked, $1.20; machine-picked, $1.15.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 80c.; machine-picked, 80c.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., March 18.

Atlantic Coast Line—359 bales cotton; 16 barrels tar.

Total—359 bales cotton; 16 barrels tar.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., March 8.—Spanish—Market steady.

Virginias—3¾c. for Jumbo; 3½c. for Fancy; 3¼c. for Extra Prime; 3c. for Prime; 3c. to 2¾c. for Machine Picked; 2½c. for Shelling Stock.

WILL CLOSE FRIDAY.

Chicago, March 18.—The Chicago Board of Trade will be closed on Friday, March 21, but not on Saturday.

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PRICE CHANGES FRACTIONAL

Much of the Time the Stock Market Was at a Standstill—The List Was Under Pressure in the Closing House.

New York, March 18.—Until the last hour of trading today movements of the important speculative stocks were confined to fractions and much of the time the market was nearly at a standstill. The list was under pressure in the closing trading, with selling heaviest in Union Pacific, Reading, Steel and Amalgamated. Net losses on the day were small in most cases, Union Pacific going down to 146¾, a new low figure. Liquidation of New Haven and some of the specialties continued. New Haven dropped to 115⅜, a new low price. Among the industrials Rumely fell 5½ and Goodrich and California Petroleum sold at new low figures for the decline. The general list was not affected, however, until the final drive was made. The approach of the Easter holiday, international money conditions, uncertainties regarding the Harriman dissolution proceedings and tariff legislation all tended to reduce speculative operations.

The late selling may have been influenced by cables from abroad, telling of the assassination of King George of Greece, and the resignation of the French Cabinet.

Another bearish factor was the announcement of engagement of $4,000,000 more gold for France, making a total of $23,000,000 to that country this year. In spite of these additional engagements the money market here was slightly easier. No decided relaxation in rates is looked for, however, at this time.

The bond market was irregular. Denver and Rio Grande refining 5s developed unusual weakness and lost two points. Total sales, par value, $1,424,000. United States bonds, unchanged on call. Total sales, today, 200,000 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	68¾
American Agricultural	53
American Beet Sugar	26¾
American Can	31¼
American Can, pfd	119¾
American Car and Foundry	48¼
American Cotton Oil	42½
American Ice Securities	24½
American Linseed	9¾
American Locomotive	34¼
American Smelting and Refining	68
American Smelting and Ref., pfd	102½
American Sugar Refining	111
American Tel and Tel	132
American Tobacco	238
Anaconda Mining Co	36
Atchison	101
Atchison, pfd	99¾
Atlantic Coast Line	122½
Baltimore and Ohio	99¾
Bethlehem Steel	33¾
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	87
Canadian Pacific	222¾
Central Leather	24½
Chesapeake and Ohio	71¾
Chicago Great Western	14
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	106⅛
Chicago and North Western	133
Colorado Fuel and Iron	32½
Consolidated Gas	130
Corn Products	10
Delaware and Hudson	157
Denver and Rio Grande	19
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	32
Distillers' Securities	16½
Erie	26¾
Erie, 1st pfd	43
Erie, 2nd pfd	33
General Electric	130½
Great Northern, pfd	126
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	34
Illinois Central	120¼
Interborough-Met	17¼
Interborough-Met., pfd	50
Inter-Harvester	105¾
Inter-Marine, pfd	16
International Paper	10½
International Pump	8
Kansas City Southern	23⅞
Laclede Gas	100½
Lehigh Valley	153¾
Louisville and Nashville	132
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	134
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	24¼
Missouri Pacific	36⅝
National Biscuit	114
National Lead	47¾
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	23
New York Central	105⅛
New York, Ont. and Western	29½
Norfolk and Western	104¼
North American	76
Northern Pacific	117⅝
Pacific Mail	25½
Pennsylvania	118⅞
People's Gas	109½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	96
Pittsburg Coal	19
Pressed Steel Car	25¾
Pullman Palace Car	157½
Reading	154⅞
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	85
Rock Island Co	20⅞
Rock Island Co., pfd	35¼
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	24½
Seaboard Air Line	18¼
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	43¾
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	34
Southern Pacific	98⅜
Southern Railway	24⅜
Southern Railway, pfd	80¼
Tennessee Copper	35
Texas and Pacific	18
Union Pacific	146¾
Union Pacific, pfd	83⅜
United States Realty	68
United States Rubber	50½
United States Steel	59⅝
United States Steel, pfd	107⅜
Utah Copper	51
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	32½
Wabash	3¾
Wabash, pfd	10⅞
Western Maryland	40
Western Union	66⅞
Westinghouse Electric	65¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie	6

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, March 18.—Flour—Steady.

Wheat—Firm. No. 2, red, 1.01½@1.11; No. 1, Northern Duluth, 97¾.

Corn—Firm, 56.

Hides—Quiet.

Wool—Quiet.

Leather—Firm.

Petroleum—Steady.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, firm. Refined, steady.

Coffee—Spot, quiet: Rio, No. 7, 11¾; Santos, No. 4, 13¾@13⅞; mild dull; Cordova, 15@17.

Potatoes—Steady and unchanged.

Peanuts—Steady and unchanged.

Freights—Steady and unchanged.

Cabbages—Steady and unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Firm, on reports of a better consumptive and export demand, higher crude markets and local bull support. Tenders on contract were 1,000 barrels. Closing prices were 1 to 4 points net higher. Sales, 4,700 barrels. Prime crude, 5.27@5.33; prime Summer yellow, spot, 6.34@6.42; March and April, 6.37; May, 6.38; June, 6.39; July, 6.42; August, 6.44; September, 6.46; October, 6.30. Prime Winter yellow, 6.50@7.00; prime Summer white, 6.55@7.00.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

March 19, 1913.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature, at 8 A. M., 40 degrees; at 8 P. M., 55 degrees; maximum, 62 degrees; minimum, 38 degrees; mean, 50 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, 3.70.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 34 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina — Fair Wednesday and Thursday; rising temperature; moderate east, shifting to southeast winds.

Port Calendar—Mar. 19.

Sun rises	6:17 A. M.
Sun sets	6:23 P. M.
Day's length	12 hrs, 6 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	7:12	7:34	1:54	2:41
Southport	4:55	5:25	11:22	11:37
Masonboro Inlet	4:26	4:56	10:53	11:08

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

March 18, 1913.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Temperature: Lowest last night.	Precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	68		.0
Asheville	clear	56	30	.0
Atlanta	clear	60	38	.0
Augusta	clear	66	40	.0
Birmingham	clear	66	40	.0
Boston	clear	50	24	.0
Charleston	clear	62	46	.0
Charlotte	pt cldy	60	34	.0
Chicago	clear	60	38	.0
Galveston	clear	60	52	.0
Jacksonville	raining	62	52	.04
Memphis	clear	64	42	.0
Mobile	cloudy	70	44	.0
Montgomery	cloudy	66	42	.01
New Orleans	cloudy	60	46	.0
New York	clear	44	30	.0
Oklahoma	clear	66	40	.0
Pittsburg	clear	62	32	.0
Raleigh	clear	58	32	.0
Savannah	cloudy	62	44	.0
Shreveport	clear	66	40	.0
St. Louis	clear	66	44	.0
Washington	clear	54	26	.0

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, March 18.—Buying of wheat on the theory that a rally was due after a long period of depression served to advance prices today. A firm tone was manifest at the close, with prices ¼ to ⅜ to ½@⅝c. above last night's figures.

Corn was firm, ¼ to ⅜@½c. up at the close; oats, ¼ to ⅛@⅜c. net higher, and provisions ranging from 5c. lower to 10c. advance.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 90¼@1.04; No. 2, hard, 88@88⅜; No. 1, Northern, 87½@88¼; No. 2, Northern, 85@87; No. 2, Spring, 85@86; velvet chaff, 81@88; durum, 85@90.

Corn—No. 2, white, 53½.

Oats—No. 2, 31; No. 2, white, 32½@34½; standard, 32¼@34.

Closing prices:

Wheat—May, 88⅜@88⅞; July, 88½; September, 88⅝.

Corn—May, 52¼@52¼; July, 53½; September, 54½.

Oats—May, 32½; July, 32⅞; September, 33⅜.

Pork—May, 20.72½; July, 20.32½; September, 19.75.

Lard—May, 10.70; July, 10.62½; September, 10.57½.

Ribs—May, 10.80; July, 10.67½; September, 10.60.

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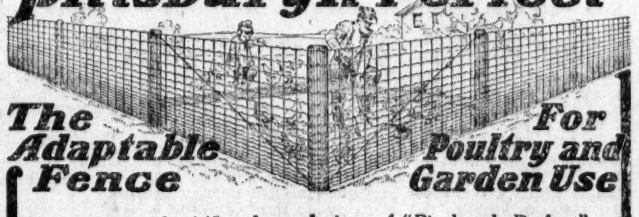

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WILSON UNDER STRAIN

Although Slightly Indisposed President Works Hard

Washington, March 18.—President Wilson worked under an unusual strain today, though physically somewhat indisposed. He received a number of callers on a variety of the political errands, sat for more than two hours with his cabinet, ate a hasty luncheon, shook hands with 550 visitors in the East room, mostly school girls, in the record time of 12 minutes, and devoted a part of the afternoon to consideration of his statement of the Chinese loan.

Returning late in the afternoon from an automobile ride the President found news that caused him to go again to the support of the New Jersey jury reform bill.

The New Jersey Senate has passed the measure without the referendum amendment regarded by the President as intended to delay reform, but the lower house has yet to accept the bill without the amendment. Secretary Tumulty, at the President's direction, then sent the following telegram to Governor Fielder and Mayor Wittpenn, of Jersey City:

"The President fears that the effort to take on a referendum will be construed in the present circumstances as a way of nullifying and perhaps defeating the measure. Our party's obligation is plain and the President hopes very earnestly that you will join with the advocates of the original measure."

Mr. Wittpenn is a leader in Hudson county, whose 12 Democratic assemblymen are reported to be in favor of a referendum.

The President today received a "big stick." It was a Shillalah of Irish black thorn and was tied with a green ribbon. W. Walpole Bell, of New York, sent it to him in the hope that he might wield it against the toads and snakes that follow in the wake of success."

The President also acknowledged a compliment from Ernest H. Taft, of Fulton, N. Y., to whom a son was born about the same time that President Wilson was taking the oath of office. The father wrote that he had named his boy "Howard Wilson Taft." The President wrote his appreciations.

THE CORPORATION TAX.

One-Fifteenth Instead of One-Twenty-fifth Per Cent. is the Rate.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 18.—It was discovered today that the new revenue act imposes the one-fifteenth of one per cent. tax on capital of corporations as originally fixed by the House, instead of the one-twenty-fifth of one per cent. to which it was reduced by Senate amendment and agreed to in conference committee during the closing days of the session.

There seems to be no accounting for the error except that the Senate amendment did not get included in the engrossing and enrollment of the measure for ratification. There was a hard fight over the franchise tax, Chairman R. R. Williams, of the Finance Committee, and others fighting for the one-fifteenth rate and the Senate forces insisting on the lower rate they had adopted. It was this condition, largely, that constrained Chairman Williams to declare on the floor of the House that in spite of the best efforts of him and his associates, amendments by the Senate still remained that represented injustice to the common people of the State that "cried to high heaven" in that taxes had been raised on the common people and lowered on the strong corporations.

However, the change in the act may have been brought about, the fact is that corporations throughout the State may take note of it that the ratified and effective revenue act prescribes the "one-fifteenth" instead of the one-twenty-fifth" rate on their capital stock, representing a very considerable increase in the taxes the corporations will have to pay.

PARDON OF HAZERS

Governor Craig Will Require 30 Days' Notice

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 18.—Governor Craig has adopted much the same rules for applications for pardon as were prescribed by Governor Kitchin, including 30 days' notice or purpose to apply for the pardon and recommendations by the judge, solicitors and other court officers. He says he will, of course, depart from this rule under special circumstances. He says he has not given any consideration yet to the matter of pardons for the four University hazers, Merriman, Hatch and Oldham, the only action to this end yet being a telegram last evening from the father of W. L. Merriman, at Wilmington, asking that pardons be granted in order to save the young men their citizenship. The young men, under sentences of four months each on the roads and actually hired out to their fathers so that they escape imprisonment, are not objects of further impending degradation since their sentences are imposed and they are actually serving sentence as far as it seems to be the purpose of the court to exact it. So Governor Craig will give no indication as to what course he will pursue in this matter.

DR. S. B. TURRENTINE ELECTED.

Presiding Elder Becomes President of Greensboro Woman's College.

Greensboro, N. C., March 18.—Dr. S. B. Turrentine, presiding elder of the Shelby district in the Western North Carolina Methodist Conference, was tonight elected president of Greensboro Woman's College. Mrs. Lucy H. Robertson, who has served as president for years and who enjoyed the distinction of being the only woman at the head of a North Carolina college or university, did not seek re-election. She was unanimously named as president emeritus for life. Greensboro College is the Methodist institution for women in this State and is one of the oldest colleges for women in the South.

WILSON NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. Gold Improved—In Police Circles—Robbery at Lucama.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., March 18.—Physicians state that the condition of Mrs. P. D. Gold, who suffered a paralytic stroke Sunday is somewhat improved. On account of her advanced age, however, decided recovery is exceeding doubtful.

KINSTON NEWS NOTES.

Bad Negro Arrested—Auto and Train Collide—Aged Lady Celebrates.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., March 19.—A tough negro named Archie Wooten, assaulted a white man, whipped several women and defied the police, who had gone to an alley in South Kinston to arrest him. Wooten engaged in a number of brawls, and publicly chastised the women in an alleyway while scores of negro spectators did not dare to interfere. A white man named Boney, who passed while the thrashing was in progress, remarked that an officer should be called, and the negro knocked him down and attempted to kick him. When Patrolmen Bursell and Farmer went to Lowrey alley to arrest Wooten the black, with drawn razor, told them than he would not go to jail. Both officers covered him with their revolvers, and the negro's wife disarmed him, after which he was locked up without trouble, cowed by the show or arms by the policemen.

K. M. Harris, an insurance man, and two other men had a narrow escape when an automobile which the former was driving collided with a freight train at Shine street on the Norfolk Southern track. The collision was at a corner, and Harris did not see the cars and apply the emergency brakes before it was too late to avoid the smash. His companion leaped from the machine, sustaining slight hurts, while Harris was not injured. The automobile was damaged some when the train struck it and shunted it from the track, thus probably saving the occupants from more serious injury.

Mr. Thos. Harvey, a business man of this city, who is widely known in the southeastern States, has returned home after a stay of several weeks in a Richmond hospital, where he underwent an operation. Mr. Harvey's condition is greatly improved, although he will not be able to resume his attentions to business for a month yet. He is prominent in local business circles, and is the vice president of a Richmond saddlery concern.

Mrs. Patience Denmark, the mother of Kleber Denmark, of this city, recently celebrated her 88th birthday at her Wayne county home, when seven sons and daughters, 25 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren and five great great-grandchildren were gathered to honor her, and yet 37 grandchildren and great-grandchildren were prevented from being present. The children and grandchildren are widely scattered, from the Atlantic to the Rockies. Mrs. Denmark is the oldest of a family including a number of prominent Carolinians.

DURHAM AND SOUTHERN.

Building to Mount Olive—Manufacturing Enterprise—Dunn News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Dunn, N. C., March 18.—The latest information from the surveying party's movements on the proposed extension of the Durham & Southern into Sampson county, would indicate that they are going to Mount Olive, either by way of Newton Grove or Clinton. The surveying party is now at work on a line which is thought to be the one which will be adopted by the authorities.

Dr. C. R. Young, of Angier; Mr. C. W. Byers and Mr. Tatum, of Fayetteville, are in town today looking for a site for the location of a proposed window shade factory to manufacture window shades from a patent perfected by Mr. Tatum. They are now making them in Angier, but want to get in a town where railroad facilities are better.

Mr. J. W. Whitehead has resigned as vice president of the Bank of Cape Fear, and Mr. J. D. Barnes has been elected as his successor.

North Carolina seems to be coming into her own in the political world. And as we have been so far behind heretofore we now arise to nominate the next President and Vice President of the United States, in the persons of William Jennings Bryan for the first honor and Josephus Daniels for the second. Now who will rise to second the nomination?

Representative E. F. Young has returned from Raleigh and is to be found hard at work in his law office. Mr. Young made an able representative and passed many bills of great importance to the citizens of Harnett; among the number being one to put the eastern side of Cape Fear river under the stock law.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Godwin have returned from an extended trip to Florida and are now at home to their friends at Young's Hotel.——Mrs. E. F. Young returned a few days ago from an extended trip to Washington, New York and other cities.

NO TWIN CITY NOW

Winston-Salem Votes to Be One Municipality May 1st

Winston-Salem, N. C., March 18.—Winston-Salem and Salem will be one municipality after May 1st. This was decided in an election held today in which Winston by a majority of 540 voted in favor of the consolidation, while Salem endorsed the proposition by a majority of 161.

A street, running east and west, has been the dividing line between the two towns since Winston was established 55 years ago.

Under the new order, in accordance with an act of the last Legislature, the laws governing Winston will prevail under the new and larger city which will be known as Winston-Salem and which will have a population, according to the last census, of 25,000.

Skin Peeling Nature's Aid to New Complexion

(From Woman's Tribune.)

Mercolized wax is a natural beautifier. By flaking off the devitalized surface skin, it merely hastens Nature's work. The second skin layer, brought gradually to view, exhibits the healthy, youthful color produced by capillary circulation. This because the capillaries are thus brought nearer the surface; also because the new skin is unsoiled by dust and dirt. This wax, to be had at any drugstore (an ounce will do) is put on nightly like cold cream, washed off mornings with warm water. Its work usually is completed in from seven to ten days, long enough not to show too marked results from day to day, or cause pain or detention indoors.

A face bath to remove wrinkles, made by dissolving an ounce of saxolite in a half pint witch hazel, is another natural beautifier, since its astringent and tonic effects smooth out the wrinkles in accordance with Nature's own process.

(Advertisement.)

CASE OF GRACE STILLEY

Young Woman Who Drank Carbolic Acid—Baseball Game

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., March 18.—Reports today are that Grace Stilley is resting much easier at St. Leo's with even prospects for recovery. The young woman has suffered great pain, however, since her effort to commit suicide at the local passenger station yesterday by drinking part of the contents of a two-ounce vial of carbolic acid. The fact that her act was witnessed and that quick relief was given has worked greatly in her favor and unless the internal burns from the acid are especially bad, doctors say she may recover.

W. R. Sizemore, the male companion of the woman and who was arrested and held by the police pending an investigation, was released this morning. The man was held because of a suspicion that he had previous knowledge of the woman's purpose. Peculiar circumstances, together with his own conflicting stories of relationship to the woman caused suspicion. The unfortunate young woman had an insurance policy of $500 and Sizemore was named as the beneficiary. It was a co-incident, too, that in his grip was found two vials of carbolic acid. The woman was able to talk this morning and she was emphatic in declarations to officers that Sizemore had nothing to do with her act.

The baseball season will open here tomorrow with Carolina and Princeton and on the following day the Trinity College boys have a game with the Princeton "Tigers." The squad from the Presbyterian University in Jersey reached town tonight and will put in several hours' practice in the morning. It is a husky aggregation of fellows and the boys promise to make things lively for Carolina, though they complain of a lack of practice. It is Princeton's first game.

Santa Fe, N. M., March 18.—Representative Luis R. Montoya, Manuel Cordova, Julian Trujillo and J. P. Lucero were indicted today on charges of soliciting bribes during the Senatorial election last year. The indictment alleges that each solicited $500 from El Fego Raca, an Albuquerque attorney, promising in return to vote as he directed.

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Wanted—Position.
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For Sale—Potted Plants.
Wanted—Furnished Room.
Wanted—Small Office Safe.
For Sale—Six-Room House.
Uncle Charles—Alarm Clocks.
C. H. Bornemann—Grape Fruit.
Palace Market—Fresh Vegetables.
Wanted—Lessons in Trigonometry.
Uncle Charles—Thin Model Watches.
C. H. Bornemann—Curtain Stretchers.
Uncle Charles—Unredeemed Pledge Sale.
Boston Italian Band — Engagements Wanted.

BUSINESS LOCALS

CURTAIN STRETCHERS, $1.98; 40c. 5-string brooms, today only 25c.; 6 lbs. lump starch, 25c.; clothes baskets, 25 and 50c.; galv. wash tubs, 50c., 65c., 75c. and $1.00. 'Phone 853. Bornemann's. mh19-1t*

GREATEST AND BIGGEST pawn broker's Unredeemed Pledge sale ever held in the entire South starts Saturday morning, March 22, 8:30, at Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop, 16 S. Front street. mh16-tf

395 THIN MODEL watches, 16 size, will be sold for 67c. during Uncle Charles' Great Unredeemed Pledge Sale. Starts Saturday. mh19-tf

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GRAPE FRUIT—Thin skin, full of juice, 4 for 25c.; extra fine yam sweet potatoes, 30c. peck; Star hams, 21 1-2c. lb.; cooking butter, 25c. lb.; 3 lbs. fancy prunes, 25c. 'Phone 853. Bornemann's. mh19-1t*

FOR SALE — Farm 31 acres, extending from Masonboro turnpike to Hewlett's Creek. Twelve (12) acres good truck land, and balance in wood. Apply to R. L. Williams, Cape Fear Club. mh19-5t*

LOST—A suit case containing dry goods. Reward for return to I. Shlan, 505 North Fourth street. mh19-1t*

NEW IRISH POTATOES, snap beans, green beets, tomatoes, lettuce and celery. Smithfield hams, Swift Premium hams, extra choice beef and pork. Fancy grape fruit and oranges. Native grown asparagus. Palace Market, 'phone 72. mh19-tf

WANTED — A few explanatory lessons in Trigonometry. 'Phone 235-J. mh19-2t*

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FOR SALE — Six room tin roof house, corner Wood and Green streets, two blocks north of hospital. In good repair. Good renter. Apply LeGwin Printing Co. mh19-1t*

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FOR SALE—Another extra nice Holstein cow just fresh. Heavy producer. Highland Place. Box 245, City. mh19-1t*

THE BOSTON Italian Band, having returned to the city, will be open for engagements during Easter week. Apply to V. Cammariero, Manager, 719 South Sixth street; 'phone 1688-J. mh19-1t*

WANTED—Partner to take half interest in hustling mercantile business; excellent location; stock will inventory about $6,500.00. Select trade and doing cash business. Twenty-five to twenty-seven hundred dollars will be all the cash required. This is an exceptional offer for a bright, enerretic young business man. Must be strictly sober and well recommended. Address "M-3-19," care Star. mh19-1t*

POTTED PLANTS for Easter. Hyacinths, jonquils, spirea, alliums, geraniums, 20 cents up. Fancy pot covers included. Carnations and cut flowers. 410 South Second street. 'Phone 779-W. mh19-1t*

WANTED — To buy small office safe cheap. To sell one 4 1-2 by 8 1-2, one 5 by 7 camera and lenses. Address Box 507, City. mh19-1t*

ALL ACCOUNTS due the Central Ice Company are due and payable to the Independent Ice Co. only. Our collectors are out daily. Please honor their calls or send by mail or by hand to our Ice Factory, Second and Campbell. The Independent Ice Co. mh14-6t

"HE HAS NO ONE but himself to blame." How often do we hear this, when we see the sad spectacle of an old man, penniless and unable to work. If he had only saved in the Building and Loan Association, how different it might have been. The People's Building and Loan Association opens new series of stock on Saturday, April 5th. This Association was organized to help the man who wants to help himself. It will help you, the same as it has hundreds of others. It has built many homes, and paid many doctor bills. Reserve stock at once. Shares, twenty-five cents each; worth one hundred dollars, in about six years. 'Phone 1220, the Secretary will be glad to explain. W. E. Peddew, Pres.; D. R. Foster, Sec. and Treas. Office, 112 Princess st. mh9-tf

TO ARRIVE Saturday morning, March 8th, the best car load of farm horses and mules that we have ever shipped here. We invite farmers and dealers to come and inspect them. 'Phone 610-J. Kentucky Horse & Mule Co., F. T. Mills, Mgr. mh7-tf

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AUCTION SALE—The undersigned will sell on the 14th day of March, at our place of business, corner Second and Market streets, the following pieces of furniture, to satisfy storage charges, etc.: One cabinet grand piano, one gas range, one gas water heater, one lot of pictures, two willow rocking chairs, one chiffoniere, one single iron bed, one National spring. Waverly Furniture Co. mh1-tf

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DESK ROOM for rent; 412 Southern Building. Will L. Miller. mh18-2t*

SEED SWEET POTATOES — Strictly Norton Yams, for sale at sixty-five cents per bushel, f.o.b. Scott's Hill, N. C.; 'phone 4830. J. T. Foy. mh18-2t

WANTED—Sap cross ties, standard, 7x9 x8 1-2 feet. Will accept 20 per cent. 6x8. Will pay highest cash prices for same delivered alongside my wharf, either by rail or water. Ties must be hewn in good shape or I positively will not take them. Customers who have any on hand can ship them in at once. R. T. Windley, Wilmington, N. C. mh18-6t

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SEED POTATOES—Irish Cobblers, Early Rose, Bliss, Triumph; also table potatoes, cabbage, apples, oranges, etc. R. B. Moore & Co., Wholesale Commission Merchants, 112 N. Water street. fe14-tf

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